WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains high over this Province, and cloudy, mild weather prevails on the Coast. Elsewhere moderately cold weather prevails in the Prairies.

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HOUSE OPENS WITH STORMY SCENES

Lone Trapper Wins Battle With Wolves

Fur Buyer Attacked in the Depths of Quebec Bush by Pack of Fifteen or Eighteen Animals

Sacrifice of Dogs Secures Own Safety

Four of Wild Beasts Brought Down by Rifle Fire—Rest Retreat Beaten Into the Woods

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—A special from Cobalt to The Evening Journal says:

"Attacked by wolves in the depths of the Quebec bush and saved from death only by the sacrifice of his sleigh dogs, George Beneson, of Hamilton, Ont., well-known fur buyer, was brought to the hospital here with his speech temporarily lost and suffering from other effects of his experiences. He is recovering.

"Three of his four dogs were killed in a pitched battle with the wolves, Beneson said, and on the survivor fell the duty of hauling his master back to civilization together with a valuable load of furs picked up during his trip.

Between 15 and 18 Wolves

"There were between fifteen and eighteen wolves in the pack, which swooped down on Beneson and his dogs about 3:30 in the afternoon when the little company was in the vicinity of Basslake, eighty miles beyond North Temiskaming.

"Beneson was armed with a rifle and hatchet and when the leader of the pack, a big fellow, jumped for him, he fired, bringing it down dead in the snow. While the attention of the others was diverted the fur buyer unloosed three of his sleigh dogs and a general melee ensued. In the confusion Beneson slipped behind a tree and while the animals fought he brought down three more wolves with his rifle. In the battle the dogs were slain but the wolves finally retreated into the bush.

Struggles Into Civilization

"Beneson skinned the four wolves and will turn the skins over to the government. With the surviving dog he started for North Temiskaming, the lone animal hauling a big load of provisions and furs valued at $1,800. After traveling for two days and nights he managed to reach Clark's farm, a distance of sixty miles.

"From Clark's farm Beneson secured a team and drove into North Temiskaming and afterwards came here for treatment.

"Two years ago, when in the same locality, he was attacked by wolves at night but escaped by waving his flashlight.

"Beneson has been trapping and buying furs in the North for the past eighteen years."

B.C. Shingle Exports To Washington Grow

BELLINGHAM, Jan. 8.—A large increase in the volume of shingles imported from British Columbia was reported at railroad offices here today. The shingles are coming in chiefly through Sumas and Blaine. Railroad officials attributed the increase to the introduction of two bills in Congress, one providing for a duty of fifty cents and the other of sixty cents a thousand on foreign-made shingles entering the United States.

Fire Destroys Home

KAMLOOPS, B.C., Jan. 8.—Fire last night destroyed the large residence of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Botti at Pinanatan. Damage is estimated at $10,000.

From the Colonist Tower

Saturday, January 9

9th Day, 1926

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and not much change in temperature.

Sun Rises: 8:05 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 4:35 o'clock.

High Tide: 10:21 a.m., 9.2 feet.
Low Tide: 6:12 p.m., 3.6 feet.

Deep Sea Shipping

Arrival—
Ss. Arabia Maru, from Yokohama, noon.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Six children, deaf since birth, begin to hear with aid of radio.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Parliament opens business with great storm.
Lone trapper wins battle with wolves in Quebec bush.
United States Congress asked to extend scope of trade probe to American industrial methods.
French floods do enormous damage.
New rumbling from Vesuvius alarms people of Italy.
Great damage done by Mexican flood.

Rabbi of Free Synagogue Arouses Much Criticism



DR. STEPHEN S. WISE,
Has been criticized for his assertion that modern Jewry must accept Jesus as a great Jewish teacher, and endorse His ethical code. This has been described as "sensational" and "misleading." In amplifying his first statement, Dr. Wise said that Jesus was never a Christian, and always a Jewish teacher.

Second Alaskan Held as Fake Medical Man

C. P. R. "Surgeon-General" Arrested—Practice Built Up on Knowledge Secured in Prison Hospitals

CORDOVA, Alaska, Jan. 8.—Building up a successful practice, although his only medical knowledge was gained in a penitentiary hospital, a man said to be Arthur Webb, alleged to have twice stolen another's identity, is the second man arrested within two months in this section of Alaska while posing as a physician.

Webb is being held at Kodiak, Kodiak Island, 300 miles southwest of here, on telegraphic advice from the sheriff in Seattle.

Taking advantage of the lack of medical men in the remote community, he built up a practice, relying entirely on his prison experience and his knowledge of chemistry, reports brought here by the steamship Admiral Watson say.

Credentials Doubted

Breaking jail in Okanogan, Wash., in 1919, Webb is alleged to have stolen Masonic credentials from Robert Collen Johnstone, of British Columbia, then sailed to Juneau, Alaska, where he assumed Johnstone's name. While visiting in a supposed brother Mason's office, the report continues, he stole further credentials. He was arrested in Utah and brought to Valdez, Alaska, where he pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to serve seven years in the federal penitentiary on McNeill Island.

Posed as C.P.R. Man

Dr. R. E. McKibbon was serving a term in the penitentiary on a narcotic charge at the same time Webb was there. They became friendly and when Webb was released on good behavior last August, it is alleged that he stole McKibbon's surgical equipment in Seattle and on forged cheques drew the doctor's money from a Vancouver bank and went direct to Kodiak on board the mail steamer Starr. He is alleged to have taken a stock of whisky and narcotics with him.

Posing as Dr. McKibbon, he introduced himself as a surgeon-general of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

He evaded custody while the Admiral Watson was at Kodiak after the marshal had placed him under arrest. The marshal apprehended him again and in arranging for his transfer to Valdez on the next boat. Charges have been filed in Valdez charging Webb with violation of the territorial narcotic law.

Webb is said to have spent twenty-three years in various prisons.

Lad Drowns Trying To Rescue Sister

Calgary Boy of Six Years Goes Through Ice—Little Girl Saved

CALGARY, Jan. 8.—A gallant attempt to save his seven-year-old sister Josephine from drowning, cost the life of six-year-old John Patrick O'Sullivan, of this city this afternoon.

The lad was drowned in the Elbow River, just east of the Mission Bridge, when the ice gave way under him just as he was trying to clutch hold of his little sister who had fallen into the river a few seconds before.

The girl was rescued by Alex. Montgomery, thirty-four, a farmer of Namaka, Alta.

Rupert Gets New Mill

PRINCE RUPERT, Jan. 8.—Announcement of the construction of a sawmill and shingle mill at Seal Cove, adjacent to Prince Rupert, to commence this month, was made here today by C. F. Riel. Mr. Riel said that the proposed new plant would have a capacity of 35,000 feet daily when completed.

New Menace By Vesuvius Alarms Italy

Muttering Resumed by Volcano — Lava Flow Increases—Crater Now Foot Deep in Fiery Liquid

Flow Emerging From New Cone

Devastating Stream Threatens to Descend Into Valley —Quake Adds to Terror of Population

NAPLES, Jan. 8.—After appearing somnolent this morning, Mount Vesuvius resumed heavy rumbling and this was followed by an increase in the flow of lava, which now covers the crater for a distance of a thousand feet a foot in depth.

The greatest flow is coming from a new cone 100 feet wide. The fiery liquid is threatening to come down the Cavallo valley at the north side of the base, which usually happens during periods of activity.

While the lava flow is violent, there have been no serious explosions.

ROME, Jan. 8.—A violent earthquake which shook Tuscany for twelve seconds, causing casualties and property damage, and a renewal of the activity in Mount Vesuvius marked a reawakening of Italy's seismic and volcanic forces this evening.

The earthquake centred in the region around Monte Amiata, and resulted in minor injuries to a score of persons and damage to several hundred peasant houses. The first shock was felt at 10:15 a.m., and this was followed by a temblor of smaller intensity. The quake inspired widespread terror, driving the inhabitants of several villages from homes.

The towns suffering most were Abbadia and San Salvatore, the centre of the mercury mining district, where all the houses were damaged. Most of the damage took the form of crumbling masonry and warped boards.

The Tuscany temblor followed a series of shocks which have been felt in recent days in districts as far separated as the southern tip of Calabria and the northern frontier of Jugo-Slavia.

Vancouver Klan Makes New Start

"Imperial Klazik" Departs—Movement Now Organized on All-Canadian Lines

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—The Ku Klux Klan has been drastically reorganized as far as Vancouver is concerned.

Major Powell, the "Imperial Klazik," who with Dr. Allen came here from Portland to organize the branch, has gone. His movements and reasons have not been explained in detail, but his resignation is based on the conclusion that the movement here should be all-Canadian. Inquiries at the "Imperial Palace," Matthews Avenue, elicited replies that questions should be directed to Rev. E. Ratzold, now the "Imperial Wizard."

It was stated, however, that no Americans were left in the movement, which was now "all-British."

British and American Ships Hit in Mersey

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 8.—The United States shipping board steamer West Nosska, from Baltimore for Birkenhead with a cargo of cattle, was in collision today with the British steamer Radnorshire while entering the Mersey. After a violent impact, the boats parted, but when they swung around they collided again at the sterns. The Radnorshire suffered considerable damage and had to be docked immediately. The other vessel was able to continue up the river to unload its cargo.

Woman Discovered Dead On Hyder-Stewart Road

PRINCE RUPERT, Jan. 8.—Miss Molly Murphy was found dead on the road between Hyder and Stewart, her body was discovered in two feet of snow and she had apparently been dead about an hour. She was well known in Hyder.

It is believed death was due to a fit. An inquiry is being held.

Deposed as Commander Of French in Morocco



GENERAL NAULIN
A recent French army order named General Boichut to succeed General Naulin in command of the French troops in Morocco. General Boichut has been commander of the 19th Army Corps, one of the star units of the Moroccan forces. General Naulin takes his place in that command.

Rancher Takes Own Life

PENTICTON, Jan. 8. — Arthur Dewsbury, rancher on the Skaha Lake benches here, was found dead yesterday, his head blown off by a shell from a shotgun, which rested between his knees. He left letters to relatives declaring his intention to take his own life as he could see no way to pay his debts.

Bridge Contract Let

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 8.—The Provincial Government has let a contract to the Nickson Contracting Company Limited, Vancouver, to construct additional protection work for the rest pier for the draw span on the New Westminster steel bridge. The contract calls for an expenditure of $100,000.

New Cold Wave Sweeps Across Eastern States

Snow Falls in States of Ohio and Virginia — Dynamite Used to Break Ice Jam in Niagara

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Icy, snow-laden winds swept the north central states and the Atlantic seaboard from North Carolina to Boston tonight. In Ohio and Virginia snow fell today and snowstorms were forecast for the middle Atlantic and New England states late tonight. Incoming passenger steamers at Atlantic ports reported encountering severe weather at sea, one liner bringing four injured.

Ice was dynamited from the water intakes at Fort Niagara, fourteen miles north of Niagara Falls, today for the first time in ten years. The Adirondack region was registering subzero temperatures, with predictions of the coldest period of the Winter.

Heavy rains during the last forty-eight hours in Mexico, just below the Arizona boundary, caused floods which made hundreds of families homeless.

There was no loss of life, but hundreds of acres of farming lands were inundated and large crop areas ruined.

Although it snowed today at Norfolk and points in Virginia, the official weather forecast indicated that the Atlantic coast would receive the full effect of the storm late tonight.

National Debt Drops 36 Millions in Year

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—The national debt is thirty-six millions less this New Year than last, according to a statement issued by the Department of Finance. The total net debt at December 31 was $2,381,735,027, against $2,417,749,920 at December 31, 1924. During the month of December there was a decrease of $881,856 in the debt, while in the corresponding month last year there was an increase of nearly six millions.

Provincial Constable Dies

HAZELTON, B.C., Jan. 8.—Provincial Police Constable J. P. Eggleshaw, of Terrace, B.C., who became ill on Wednesday, died here this morning.

Six Children, Deaf From Birth, Begin Hearing With Radio Aid

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—Six children, deaf since birth, tonight distinguished vibrations of voice and musical instruments over the radio with sufficient separation of sound as to enable three of them to differentiate the vibrations. The children are pupils of the Point Grey school for the deaf and the blind. The radio programme was directed from the Canadian National radio station here.

"It is the first time any of these boys or girls have ever been able to distinguish sounds in any other than a single relation," said S. H. Lawrance, superintendent of the school. "This demonstration shows for the first time that it is possible to reach the ears of deaf mutes by vibration of the radio, where heretofore sounds or other origin have been wholly meaningless when heard at all.

Great Storm Breaks in Commons; Government Asks Confidence Vote; Opposition Moves Counter Motion

Rival Parties Begin Bitter Battle at Drop of Hat—Old Parliamentarians Bewildered by Rapid Fire—Conservatives Assail Government Resolution—Assert No Notice Given

Debate Adjourned Until Monday After Prolonged Wordy Warfare

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—The session of Canada's fifteenth Parliament opened today in a great storm. The first day in the House, usually little more than frills and formalities, saw issue between Government and Opposition sharply joined. Motions of confidence and no-confidence in governments swept across the stage so rapidly that even old parliamentary onlookers were bewildered and confused.

Galleries were packed. Long rows of evening gowns told how guests for the opening had hurried from the placid atmosphere of the Senate to the troubled scenes of the House.

Members wildly cheered their leaders again and again as point after point was made. It was such an opening day as the Canadian Parliament probably has never seen before.

Motion of Confidence

Commoners had just returned from formal opening of the Senate when the battle began. In the upper house there was all the old glittering display, all the old traditional ceremonies. Then scarcely had members taken their seats in their own chamber again when Hon. Ernest Lapointe, acting Government leader, rose with a formal motion of confidence.

He moved that in the opinion of the House the Government was justified in retaining office, in summoning Parliament, and entitled to retain office "unless defeated by a vote of this House equivalent to a vote of no-confidence."

Motion Is Surprise

Mr. Lapointe's motion obviously came by surprise. Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader, protested that it was out of order on the ground that no notice had been given.

"Whatever autocratic sentiments they may recently have imbibed," he warmly exclaimed in reference to the Government, "they have no right to proceed without notice." He described procedure, as a discourtesy to Parliament, a contempt of Parliament.

There were repeated Conservative cheers as Mr. Meighen spoke —cheers which brought counter Liberal applause as Mr. Lapointe replied.

Mr. Lapointe returned that the Government was taking the earliest opportunity of appealing to its judges, Parliament, whether or not it was entitled to confidence. It was a physical impossibility to give notice of the motion. Parliament only met yesterday. Legal notice could not be given before Parliament met.

Notice Necessary

Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative, Calgary West, said that the question before the House was whether or not the Government resolution was one which could be moved without notice. Clearly it was not. Surely those who were familiar with British parliamentary usages had not forgotten that in 1868 Disraeli resigned before meeting the House of Commons, and that later Salisbury had resigned following a successful amendment to the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne.

There was no record in parliamentary practice of a vote of confidence being proposed by a government before the House had functioned. It was a simple matter, said Mr. Bennett. Clearly only a motion of that character could be made after due notice.

The rules of the House had not been observed in the case of Mr. Lapointe's motion, and it was distinctly out of order.

Hon. E. M. Macdonald, Minister of Defence, spoke of a copy of motion which Mr. Meighen had handed to the Government shortly before the House met in the afternoon, which was quite the negative of Mr. Lapointe's.

Notice Given of Amendment

Mr. Meighen had expected to have his motion considered without notice. "It was an amendment, not a motion," called out some Conservative members.

Mr. Meighen said that he had given the leader of the Government notice of an amendment which set out that it was to be moved "at the first available opportunity." "How could it be otherwise, knowing whom we had opposite us?"

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver Centre, contended that the motion of the Government was out of order. Before adjournment yesterday there had been ample time to notify the House that it was intended to make the motion in question.

"This is not a courtesy, but a rule of Parliament," stated Mr. Stevens.

No Prime Minister

Mr. Stevens drew attention to a press dispatch declaring that the Government, unless immediately challenged by the Opposition, would exercise the normal functions of an administration and make appointments. This statement had come from the lips of William Lyon Mackenzie King, "who is constitutionally not Prime Minister of this country."

Mr. King was "not a member of this Parliament at all," Mr. Stevens added. The motion of the Govern-

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Tobacco Firms Cleared Of Manipulation Charges

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The American Tobacco Company and the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain, were declared not responsible for the "difficulties and impeded progress" of the organized tobacco growers in Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, in a report submitted to the Senate today by the Federal Trade Commission.

Solon Would Extend Probe To U.S. Trade

Extension of Rubber Investigation to American Industrial Methods Urged by Arkansas Representative

Resolution Goes Before Congress

Manufacturers Accused of "Passing the Buck" for High Prices—Government Aid Refused

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Expansion of its inquiry into foreign monopolies in rubber, coffee and other raw products, to include the profits made by the American rubber and coffee manufacturers, was disapproved today by the House commerce committee.

A resolution by Representative Parks, Democrat, Arkansas, to broaden the investigation to include the American industry was rejected by the committee in executive session. A number of Democrats on the committee supported the proposal, which reflected a move already apparent among the minority to bring into the inquiry the administration's attitude toward business methods at home.

House Gets Same Resolution

After the committee rejected his proposal, Mr. Parks introduced a similar resolution in the House, and announced he would press for its consideration. It would call for an inquiry into the "means and methods of manufacture, price and distribution of automobile tires and of all rubber goods sold in the United States and also the price, sale, and distribution of coffee."

He said the resolution was designed to ascertain what part of the increased price in rubber and coffee in this country could be attributed to manipulation by the British and Brazilian governments, and charged that American manufacturers of these products were attempting "to pass the buck" for high prices.

No Aid for Rubber Companies

The rubber situation also received attention at the White House today. President Coolidge making clear his disapproval of any proposal for government loans for the development of American controlled rubber plantations.

Such a suggestion was made yesterday by F. A. Sieberling, president of the Sieberling Rubber Co. of Akron, Ohio, before the House commerce committee. He proposed government loans to private corporations for planting at least 1,000,000 acres to rubber in the Philippines.

President Coolidge not only is opposed to such a policy but sees no occasion for government aid in rubber planting, believing that American manufacturers who would be interested in developing such a supply have adequate funds for this purpose.

Cotton Interests Not Alarmed

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 8.—Members of the Liverpool Cotton Association show little alarm over the proposal made in Congress by Representative McKeown, Democrat, of Oklahoma, for retaliation against the British rubber monopoly by increasing the price of U.S. cotton abroad.

Liverpool cotton men believe such a move would hurt the United States more than Britain.

Seventy Thousand Come To Canada in 8 Months

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—Immigration to Canada for eight months of the finance year up to November 30, 1925, amounted to 70,122, according to official figures made public today by the Department of Immigration and Colonization. Of this number 30,022 were British, 13,939 from the United States and 26,161 from other countries.

Ireland Air Liner Stop

BALDONNEL, Ireland, Jan. 8.—Ireland is seen as the future calling place for ocean aerial liners, by Major-General Sir Sefton Brancker, director of civil aviation, of the British Air Ministry. He sees a route from America to Ireland and thence to London and the continent.

Turkey Abandoning Bellicose Attitude On Mosul Question

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 8. Utterances in official circles and the tone of the newspaper comment on the London conference indicate that the Turkish Government is preparing public opinion for a compromise agreement with Britain regarding the disposition of Mosul.

"Turkey desires peace," a high official said today.

"Under no circumstances does she want to launch on perilous adventures. Turkey is occupied with reforms. She wants to put her house in order."

Mexico Flood Waters Cause $250,000 Loss

Torrential Rains Devastate Farm Lands, Damage Railways and Make Hundreds Homeless

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 8.— There has been heavy loss of life and several towns have been destroyed by floods in the state of Nayarit, according to first official news from the flooded area.

The City of San Blas has suffered. This information is contained in a dispatch received tonight by Deputy Romero Gallardo. The message does not give the number of casualties.

NOGALES, Ariz., Jan. 8.—Flood waters in the state of Nayarit, Mexico, are subsiding after one of the most disastrous floods in history, it is stated in dispatches received here tonight.

Following a week of torrential rains all the rivers went over their banks, flooding fertile farm lands and damaging the new main link of the Southern Pacific of Mexico to an amount estimated at between $250,000 and $500,000.

The total property damage is estimated at three million pesos. No loss of life is reported, although hundreds of families were left homeless and rescue parties cannot reach them from Tepic, the capital city of Nayarit, until road conditions improve.

The flood also wrought damage on the new route of the Southern Pacific of Mexico south of here. Construction work which is being done on the extension of the line to Mexico City was set back from four to six months. It is reported that twenty-five miles of track south of Tepic are under water and that several large bridges were destroyed.

Winnipeg Man Scoffs At Vancouver Claims To Bigger Population

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8.—Claims from the Pacific Coast that Vancouver had assumed the position of third largest city in the Dominion, were challenged today by T. J. Port, manager of the Winnipeg Tourist Bureau. Vancouver has a long way to go to reach, let alone surpass, the population of Winnipeg, Mr. Port declared, supporting his contention with Government statistics which he said give the population of Greater Winnipeg as 260,000 against the claim of 230,000 for Vancouver.

Viscount Cecil Has Operation

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Viscount Cecil, of Chelmwood, today underwent an operation for removal of the tonsils. His physicians described the operation as slight. Lord Cecil is sixty-one years old.

Red-Tag Sale

Butter Spreaders and Coffee Spoons
Georgian pattern, silver-plated. Regular 50c each. Sale Price, each 19c

Two 99c Specials
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Malkin's Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tins	53¢		
Heinz' Ketchup, large	26¢	Cream of Wheat, packet	20¢
Fresh Milled Rolled Oats, per pound	4½¢	Laurel Logan Jam, 4's	55¢
		Beach-Eakins Strawberry Jam, 4's	75¢
Pearl Barley, Sago and Tapioca, per pound	6¢		
Brunswick Sardines, tin	5¢	2-in-1 Shoe Polish, tin	9¢
Snap Hand Cleaner	18¢	Ricket's Blue, packet	5¢
Graham Ice Wafers, regular 40c a pound, for	28¢		
Kraft Cheese, lb.	59¢	Local Cauliflowers, each	15¢
Domestic Shortening, lb.	19¢	Cooking Apples, box	95¢
Peanut Butter, lb.	16¢	Onions, Carrots and Turnips, 10 lbs. for	25¢
New Laid Eggs, Firsts; doz.	40¢	New Dates, lb.	10¢
Picnic Hams, lb.	20¢	Turkey Figs, lb.	10¢
Fletcher's Breakfast Bacon, mild and sweet; piece or half; per pound	44¢	Sweet Navel Oranges, doz.	19¢
Choice Table Butter, 45¢ per pound; 3 lbs. for	$1.30	Selected Special Alberta Butter, 46¢ a pound. 3 lbs. for	$1.40

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Shoulders of Veal, lb.	18¢.	Sirloin Tips, lb.	20¢ and 18¢
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Fresh Killed Boiling Fowl, All Weights

French Flood Damage Runs To Great Sum

Paris Suffers $17,500,000 Property Loss Alone as Result of Heavy Rains—Danger Now Over

Thousands of Rats Routed From Homes

Rodents Invade New Territory as Seine Creeps Into Old Haunts on Banks of River

PARIS, Jan. 8.—Paris is saved from a flood catastrophe, in the opinion of an official of the Ministry of Public Works, after an extensive survey of the flooded areas, but the damage to property will amount to something like 500,000,000 francs (approximately $17,500,000 at the present rate of exchange).

Technical experts who have ventured all sorts of prophecies since the floods began concerning the probable rise and fall of the rivers, now say that the dry and somewhat colder weather which set in today will curtail the rising waters and that the Seine, after rising another ten or twelve inches, will begin to recede tomorrow.

Valleys Suffer Heavily

The Marne, Meuse and Oise valleys are the worst stricken areas outside Paris. Wrecked bridges, undermined railways and roadbeds, houses and factories destroyed or rendered uninhabitable and ruined fields of Winter wheat make up the list of damage caused by the incessant rains and melting snow.

In the capital only a few hundred persons have been forced to abandon their homes, but in the northern and eastern sections of France, homes have been wrecked or flooded by the score.

The water on the Seine tonight had reached 6.16 metres (21.10 feet at the Austerlitz bridge, which still is seven feet lower than the high water mark of 1912.

Kegs of Wine Salvaged

A number of wine cellars have been flooded. Two crews were set to work today at the great wine house at Bercy salvaging kegs of wine which were floating down the stream.

The high water near the Invalides station, the Quai d'Orsay and the Austerlitz bridge has routed thousands of rats. They have scampered away to dry land, invading parts of the Latin quarter. Here some of the venturesome students are to be seen chasing the rats with sticks and other weapons.

Great Storm Breaks in Commons

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ment "was an affront to Parliament."

Mr. Lapointe retorted that the Conservatives evidently also desired to have the question of the power of the administration decided, but in a different way. "Parliament has the right," he declared, "to take up a matter of public importance before dealing with the address, and that is what we are doing now."

Delay Urged

Robert Forke, Progressive leader, urged that decision on that motion would be momentous and far-reaching. He thought it reasonable that the motion should be regarded merely as a notice and the matter stand over for full consideration till Monday.

In this view Henry Bourassa concurred.

Speaker Lemieux, too, deferred until Monday his decision on the point raised by Mr. Meighen that the Lapointe motion was out of order without notice.

Yet scarcely had this motion passed temporarily from the scene when the House was plunged into debate on a Conservative motion of no-confidence. Mr. Lapointe had moved the customary motion of opening day that consideration of the Speech from the Throne be given precedence.

No-Confidence Moved

Immediately Mr. Meighen moved no-confidence.

His amendment recounted that nine ministers of the crown had been defeated at the polls; that Conservatives had secured in the elections by far the largest support of the popular vote and substantially the largest number of members of any party in the House.

His amendment added:

"Those who now assume to be His Excellency's advisers have among them no Prime Minister with a seat in either House of Parliament, and under such circumstances are not competent to act as, or to become, the committee of Parliament, commonly known as the Government, or to address Parliament through His Excellency, and their attempted continuance in office is a violation of the principles and practice of British constitutional government."

Debate on Mr. Meighen's no-confidence motion ran on well into the evening and then likewise went over till Monday.

Not Competent to Act

Mr. Meighen argued that a government could not function in Parliament unless the Prime Minister was a member.

"If," held Mr. Meighen, "a government has a right to function in Parliament without a Prime Minister, then the old days have returned when the King could address Parliament of his own right and not on the advice of him who above all others is responsible to Parliament and the people."

Mr. Meighen urged that the House should not and ought not to take into account any Speech from the Throne which came from a government through the lips of a Governor-General, when the government had no Prime Minister in either House.

Government Defended

Mr. Lapointe rejoined that what Premier King had done was right and in accordance with his duty. Any other course would have been a breach of trust and an infringement of the rights of Parliament. The people were represented in the House and the House must decide on the executive of the country. It was for the House to say.

"In the name of God, my friends," pleaded Mr. Lapointe in a quotation he thought came from Cromwell, "get it into your heads that you may be wrong."

The House laughed.

Mr. Lapointe argued that, constitutionally, the position of the Government was sound.

So debate went on until finally adjournment was moved by A. M. Carmichael, of Kindersley, and the House went over till Monday.

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Aged Primate's Recovery Doubtful



CARDINAL MERCIER

BRUSSELS, Jan. 8.—The advanced age of Cardinal Mercier, Primate of Belgium, makes doubtful his recovery from the effects of his operation last week, it was said in medical circles today.

The cardinal, who is seventy-four, continued to lose strength today owing to his inability to take nourishment. He is also suffering from an ulcer on the leg.

Gets Unique Appointment



REV. FRANK ABBOTT,
Of the Anglican diocese of Huron, Ont., who has been appointed field secretary for the Church of England deaconess and missionary training house.

Mr. Lloyd George Home After Visit to Italy

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Mr. Lloyd George arrived in London today, having returned hastily from a holiday in Italy because of the illness of his daughter Megan, who yesterday underwent an operation for appendicitis. He hurried to the nursing home to see Megan, who is making satisfactory progress.

He had not seen Premier Mussolini. He spent only one day in Rome but saw Vesuvius in action—a wonderful sight.

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A new method by which the valuable metal vanadium, often present in raw iron, can be profitably recovered has been devised by a Swedish engineer.

Magistrate: You say the plaintiff is a relative of yours?
Witness: Yes, by bigamy.

Mr. W. Waters Attacks Reeve On Assessment

Says Mr. Macnicol's Stand on Valuations Will Occasion Deficit and Ultimately Improvement Taxation

Criticizes Mr. Kirkham

Taking the report of the Ward Three Saanich election campaign meeting of December 30 as the subject of his address, Mr. W. J. Waters, candidate for reeve, attacked Reeve Macnicol and Councillor H. O. Kirkham on their stand for re-assessment of farming acreage, at a meeting of Ward Two in the Tolmie School last night.

Mr. Waters disapproved of the statements made by Councillor Kirkham and Reeve Macnicol, especially in connection with the councillor's remarks. He said that Mr. Kirkham was credited as having said: "If I were a farmer I would refuse to pay my taxes, would organize my neighbors in the like boycott, would fight the assessment before the Court of Revision and before the judge of appeal."

"When a man advises another man not to pay his taxes he is giving bad advice," said Mr. Waters. "He is asking those people to break the law. He would urge his neighbors to a like boycott. Boycott is identified with lawbreaking of the worst kind. Is this the kind of language a man should use in advising his neighbors what he should do?" he interrogated.

Assessments

"Reeve Macnicol says he is not arguing in the improvement Taxation question, and will not bring the matter up, but at the same time he says he has promised the farmers a re-assessment of their acreage, but not a general re-assessment. He also says that this may mean a deficit, but this situation can be taken care of later, Mr. Waters went on to say.

"Now I abhor debts and if this re-assessment is made Saanich will increase her debt and will continue to do so. This leaves only one course to be taken, that of enforcing an Improvement Tax," Mr. Waters declared.

The candidate explained that the mill rate could not be raised so that there was only this one alternative. Therefore he was bound in duty to the citizens of Saanich to protest a re-assessment of farming land, especially if an improvement tax was made necessary, as it would necessitate a greater taxation than before on the farmer.

"The question of taxation reform is not the business of the Council but the question of the people, and this matter should be left in the hands of the public," he said.

Northwest Sewer

He denied that Saanich was forced to live up to what had been termed a gentlemen's agreement about the Northwest trunk sewerage question. No doubt Victoria had enlarged her mains and provided sewerage connection, but he thought that the municipality was not in position to afford this "expensive" installation and that there was a much cheaper way of providing sewerage for Saanich, by the natural flow line, thus avoiding the pumping system.

"Victoria," he said, 'had two lawyers, and Saanich one and surely the agreement could have been brought up in a legal manner.' He thought that the municipality was not bound to go through with the agreement.

Water Question

In connection with the water question he said he believed that Saanich could well afford to continue the same rate when the increase from six cents to ten cents per thousand gallons was made by the city. He claimed that the margin of profit was of such a character as to allow for the same rate being retained.

Mr. Joseph Hancock announced his candidature for Police Commissioner at the meeting. He was running on a platform of rigid economy, efficiency and a clean police force, he told a representative of The Colonist.

"Few of our great statesmen have been what you would call handsome men."

"And that's lucky," observed Senator Sorghum. "A campaign is hard enough as it is, without turning it into a beauty contest."

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Universities to Debate

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Jan. 8.—The University of Oregon will probably accept an invitation to meet the debating team of the University of Sydney, Australia, which has been received here, it was announced today. The University of Sydney team, which represents the largest college in Australia, will arrive in San Francisco April 6.

British Columbians Win Poultry Prizes

SEATTLE, Jan. 8.—British Columbia winners in the Seattle poultry show, which opened here Monday, included: Chinchilla rabbits, Gordon Field, Victoria, senior buck, first and third; senior doe, fourth. Totem Rabbitry, Brentwood Bay, senior doe, third; junior buck, second; junior doe, first. P. Barlow, Sidney, senior doe, fifth; junior doe, second. White Angora rabbits, Mrs. L. Schwartz, Brentwood Bay, junior bucks, first and second; junior does, second. Blue Beverin rabbits, Totem Rabbitry, senior bucks, first; junior doe, first.

Would Mob Ambassador

TOKIO, Jan. 8.—Brazilian Ambassador R. de Lima Silva and his wife narrowly escaped being mobbed this morning when they attempted to cross a street near the Akasaka Palace in front of the regent, Crown Prince Hirohito, who was returning from a military parade.

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Ottawa Plans Outlined In Speech From Throne

Substantial Reductions in Taxation Aimed at by Government—Amalgamation of Departments

Measures Planned to Keep Farm Population on Land and to Bring Canadians Back to Dominion



BARON BYNG OF VIMY

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—The Speech from the Throne, read at the opening of the fifteenth Parliament of Canada this afternoon by Baron Byng of Vimy, Governor-General, announced:

1. Substantial reductions in taxation.
2. Consolidation of certain public departments.
3. Measures to retain agricultural population on the land and to encourage the return to the land of urban dwellers and repatriation of Canadians.
4. Rural credits scheme.
5. Tariff advisory board (for which provision was made last session), to be appointed forthwith.
6. Board of Railway Commissioners instructed to include in its general rate investigation now in progress a special inquiry into the causes of diversion of Canadian grain and other products through other than Canadian ports. The board also to take such action under the Railway Act as it may deem efficient to insure utilization of Canadian ports for Canadian traffic.
7. Completion forthwith of the Hudson Bay Railway.
8. Royal Commission inquiry into Maritime rights.
9. Bill to transfer to the control of Alberta the natural resources of that province.
10. Bill to amend the Dominion Elections Act.

Speech From Throne

His Excellency said:

Hon. Members of the Senate, Members of the House of Commons: It gives me great pleasure to welcome you to your important duties in this first session of the fifteenth parliament of Canada.

Since our last meeting the Empire has been called on to lament the demise of Queen Alexandra. In our Dominion, the memory of the late Queen will ever be held in affectionate remembrance.

At the earliest opportunity a resolution will be submitted to you, expressing the deep sympathy of the parliament and people of Canada with His Majesty the King and other members of the royal family in their bereavement.

Canada has been signally honored by the selection of a member of its government as president of the sixth assembly of the League of Nations.

I congratulate you on the growing prosperity of this favored land. The products of our agricultural and other basic industries have greatly increased. Our export trade shows remarkable expansion. Our manufacturing and related industries throughout the Dominion have experienced a development not enjoyed in many years. Further evidence of industrial progress is reflected in the greatly improved earnings of the railways.

Increased Prosperity

This increased prosperity and advancement have been aided by the policies of the government and the reduction in expenditures and taxation made from time to time. In the opinion of my ministers the improved conditions warrant further substantial reduction in taxation.

Every effort will be made further to reduce expenditures. To aid in the reduction of expenditures in administration certain of the departments of the public service will be consolidated with others and give more services more effectively coordinated.

Our revenue is derived partly from tax as made necessary by the war and partly from other sources. In order that the people of the Dominion may have an exact knowledge of the sources of their revenue and the objects of its expenditure simplified forms of accounts will be issued periodically.

With the improvement of conditions throughout the country, the Government has formulated and put into operation a comprehensive immigration plan. My ministers desire it to be known that the Dominion welcomes settlers of the classes which can be absorbed into our population. Regulations have been simplified, transportation rates greatly reduced and the care of settlers to destination and during early settlement given every attention.

Retention of Population

Measures will be taken to further the retention on the land of our existing agricultural population, to encourage the return to rural parts of urban dwellers possessed of agricultural experience and the repatriation of Canadians now living in other countries. Special arrangements will be proposed for settlement on crown lands.

An agreement has been made between the Government and the railroad companies providing a larger measure of co-operation in immigration activities in the British Isles and on the continent of Europe. An agreement entered into with the British Government has already been instrumental in stimulating immigration from Great Britain.

While it is of importance to attract new settlers, it is equally if not more important, to assist those who already are established, on the land by reducing the cost of agricultural production. To this end a measure will be introduced offering wide facilities for rural credits.

Uncertain Tariff Changes

My ministers are of the opinion that a general increase in the customs tariff would prove detrimental to the country's continued prosperity and prejudical to national unity. In their view the incidence of this kind of taxation should bear as lightly as possible on the necessaries of life and on agriculture and other primary industries. They believe that in the interest of industrial development every effort should be made to eliminate the element of uncertainty with regard to tariff changes.

That changes in the tariff should be made only after the fullest examination of their bearing upon both primary and manufacturing industries and that representations requesting increase or decrease of duties should be made the subject of the most careful investigation and report by a body possessing the necessary qualifications to advise the ministry with respect thereto. A tariff advisory board will, accordingly, be appointed. This board will be expected to make a careful study of the customs tariff, the revenue to be derived therefrom and the effect of the tariff and allied factors on industry and agriculture.

Value of Larger Markets

While recognizing the importance of the Canadian home market, the great value of markets in other countries for our natural and manufactured products must also be considered. In particular our trade within the Empire should be encouraged by all means consistent with our national welfare. In this connection a trade agreement entered into with the British West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana and British Honduras will be submitted for your approval.

In pursuance of the fixed policy of the Government to encourage the movement of grain and other Canadian products through Canadian ports, the Board of Railway Commissioners has been instructed to include in the general rate investigation now in progress a special inquiry into the causes of diversion of Canadian grain and other products through other than Canadian ports, and to take such action under the Railway Act as it may deem efficient to ensure as far as possible the utilization of Canadian ports for Canadian traffic.

My Government proposes to submit provisions for the completion forthwith of the Hudson Bay Railway.

Rights of Maritimes

With a view to affording such remedies as may appear to be practical and appropriate, the Government also proposes to appoint a royal commission to inquire fully into the claims that the rights of the Maritimes in regard to the operation of the Intercolonial Railway have not been observed, and in regard to transportation, immigration and other economic factors, these provinces have suffered prejudically in their position under Confederation.

Your attention will be invited, among other measures, to a bill to provide for the transfer to the Province of Alberta of its natural resources, and to a bill amending the Dominion Election Act.

Members of the House:

The accounts of the last fiscal year and the estimates for the coming year will be submitted for your consideration.

Hon. Members of the Senate; Members of the House of Commons:

In the policies and measures I have outlined a sincere effort has been made to take into account the diversified conditions and interests of our Dominion in a manner which will promote mutual understanding and closer co-operation between all parts. It is believed that these measures which, taken together, form a co-ordained plan of national progress, will ensure our common aim of a prosperous and united Canada.

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The Doctor: "I shall want you to get a move on today, Phillips. I've a tremendous number of calls to make."
The New Chauffeur: "Ay, sir. I thort this 'ere first bit o' proper rough weather would be a gawdsend to the likes of us!"

—From London Humorist.

U.S. Murderer Hanged

ARIZONA STATE PRISON, FLORENCE, Ariz., Jan. 8—William A. Lawrence, twenty-seven, of Mungokee, Okla., was hanged at 5:22 a.m. here today for the murder of a Phoenix, Ariz., policeman last February.

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Intoxicants Banned

DUNDEE, Scotland, Jan. 8.—The town council of Dundee has followed the example of Glasgow and Aberdeen in the matter of banning the use of intoxicants at civic functions, and henceforth this city will be "dry" as far as the municipal government is concerned.

Products Bureau Will Hold Meeting

All-British Columbia Programme Will Be Given at Vancouver Shortly

An all-British Columbia programme is promised for the annual meeting of the British Columbia Products Bureau on Friday, January 29. This will take the form of a dinner in The Ambassador, Vancouver, at which Mr. W. A. Cantelon, prominent local barrister and Rotarian, will deliver the principal address. The Mayors of the four principal cities, Messrs. L. D. Taylor, of Vancouver; J. Carl Pendray, of Victoria; T. S. Annandale, of New Westminster, and Victor Harrison, of Nanaimo, will also speak, while representative merchants, manufacturers and business experts will give their views on the "Buy British Columbia Products Campaign," and discuss present conditions and future outlook of the Province and Dominion. A good musical programme is also being arranged.

It is expected that over 200 manufacturers from all parts of the Province will attend and transact the business of the evening, including the election of a new chairman and executive, the submitting of 1925 reports and presentation of the Budget for the coming year. Mr. A. A. Milledge, campaign manager, expects an enthusiastic meeting, one which will do full justice to the selection of British Columbia speakers.

Would Release Drug Peddler for $1.69

Slight Overcharge in Taxed Costs Urged as Grounds for Quashing Conviction

VANCOUVER, June 8.—An overcharge of $1.69 in costs which Song Toy, convicted at Namu for having opium in his possession, was ordered by the magistrate to pay, in addition to a six-months' term in Oakalla jail, was urged by Mr. Dugald McAlpine, on the prisoner's behalf, before Mr. Justice Morrison as a ground for quashing the conviction.

A writ of habeas corpus was sought by counsel for the Chinese, who is about to be deported to the Orient, after completing his sentence, including the six months and an additional three months for failing to pay the costs, which the magistrate fixed at $35.62.

This sum was made up of $20.20 for the prisoner's fare to Oakalla from Ocean Falls, and of $14.82, the cost of an escort and his return to Prince Rupert. Song Toy was charged one-third of the expenses incurred by the constable, who on that trip escorted three prisoners.

Counsel argued that the constable should not have charged more than the proportionate return fare to Ocean Falls, whereas the return was to Prince Rupert. He calculated the difference at $1.69. He said that an Ontario court had quashed a conviction where a prisoner, under similar circumstances, had been overcharged seven cents. Mr. Justice Morrison expressed the opinion that the Chinese had not suffered because of the $1.69, and he dismissed the application.

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C.N.R. FINANCES

Since the Government took over a number of the railways which are now known as an organization called the Canadian National Railways a sum of money, on top of the original investment in these roads, totalling $500,000,000, has gone into the property. It is always well to keep this in mind when we read of the increased net profits being earned by the C.N.R. Those increased profits do little more than provide interest on the increased capital commitments. During the year just ended the C.N.R. had increased gross receipts of $8,000,000 and decreased operating expenditure of $5,000,000. This represented a gain of $13,000,000 on the preceding year and brought the net earnings to slightly above $30,000,000. This amount provides interest on some $600,000,000 of the capital debt which in all represents some $2,000,000,000. It is probably true that the whole of this debt is not correctly chargeable to the C.N.R., for the cost of the Intercolonial ought to be excluded. Nevertheless, even excluding this, the shortage in interest charges on the C.N.R. as represented by the net profit, will be in the neighborhood of $35,000,000 for 1925, and this shortage must be faced by the taxpayers.

In relation to any and all increases being made in the net profits of the C.N.R. every consideration must be given to any new capital expenditures that are involved. The company has been fortunate during 1925 in sharing so largely in the increased freight provided through a heavy crop in the Prairies. That is a condition that experience has shown will not exist every year. There must be satisfaction that the C.N.R. is able to make a better showing, but before the Government undertaking can be put on a firm financial basis there must be many further economies exercised, and, moreover, there must be exhaustive investigation before any new capital expenditures are made to show that such expenditures will be profitable from the beginning.

OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL

The current Atlantic Monthly prints an article by the Professor of Economics at Harvard upon certain modern methods of company finance and in an editorial comment thereupon makes the statement that the most significant movement in modern industry is the divorce of ownership from control. The process by which owners are losing and intermediaries are acquiring the responsibility for the management of industrial corporations may be observed wherever limited liability companies and holding companies exist. Ways have been discovered in the realms of finance by which a man may eat his cake and still possess it, and all under the protection of law. The procedure is so simple that it is a wonder that it was not adopted long ago, and it is so easy and so effective that, unless suitable regulations are devised and enforced, the institution known as private property may before long have but a melancholy academic and historic interest. The Harvard economist furnishes numerous examples of the method by which a small group of individuals, quite beyond the control both of shareholders and of governmental supervision, succeed in taking over the management of private industrial concerns and of public utility corporations.

A few illustrations will serve as typical. A banking house buys up a private business—the automobile industry of the Blank Brothers—for about 150 millions. The banking house offers to the public 160 millions of bonds and preferred stock at par, and a million and a half non-voting shares of Class "A" common stock. There are also half a million Class "B" voting (no par) common shares, but none of these are sold. "The promoters," to quote the words of the article, "have virtually paid themselves a handsome profit for the assumption of the entire directorial power, having mortgaged the property to the full amount of its original cost through outstanding bonds and preferred stock, including both assets and capitalized earning power. The amazing thing is that this final deathblow to the exercise of voting rights by the general publichas brought no voice of protest."

The question is pointedly asked as to who has really given hostages to fortune, to the public, or to the employees for honest and economic management of the business in a case like the Industrial Blank Corporation with 598,000 shares of non-voting Class "A" stock distributed to the public, with the reservation of the remaining 2,000 out of 600,000 shares, as Class "B" stock, carrying exclusive voting rights, or in a case like the root-beer enterprise with 180,000 shares of Class "A" and Class "B" common shares, with the concentration of control in 3,872 "management shares", or the theatre enterprise (said to have $20,000,000 in assets), "with 3,900,000 Class "A" shares sold to you and me, and 100,000 Class "B" shares in which will be vested exclusive control through voting rights."

In the opinion of the writer of the article it is desirable that voting power should be conferred upon debenture and bond holders equally with stockholders in business matters of this character; and he concludes with the warning that the institution of private property, underlying our whole civilization, is threatened at the root unless we take heed.

THE PETERSEN DEAL

Some particulars of the deal negotiated between Mr. Mackenzie King's Government and the late Sir William Petersen have been disclosed at the annual meeting of the London-American Maritime Trading Company held in London on December 31. It appears from these that, as was stated at the time, the Canadian Government regarded the deal as a recognized fact only dependent on the exercise of the majority which it controlled in the House of Commons. The deal affords an illustration of how Governments in these latter days do business. There was another illustration in this Province recently when the Premier here pledged legislative sanction for unauthorized expenditures. The revelations affecting the Petersen deal are contained in a statement made by the Earl of Wemyss at the annual meeting of the London-American Maritime Trading Company as follows:

At that time (the previous annual meeting) Sir William Petersen had in his hands an agreement signed by the Canadian Government, by which he undertook to run ten trading ships between Canada and Great Britain, and for this he was to receive an enormous subsidy. It was signed, sealed and delivered by the Canadian Government, and only required the ratification of the Canadian House of Commons, and as we had assurance that this ratification was a mere formality we naturally thought we could bank on that agreement going through. We had no direct interest in that agreement. It was a purely private undertaking of Sir William Petersen's, but in return for certain assurances we were able to give him, he undertook to employ the Thompson Company steamers, giving them the benefit of the subsidy, and ultimately he was to take over these steamers on terms which would have made our shares considerably above par.

Owing to a little premature discussion, shipping companies interested in Canadian trade made a dead set against the project, and a fierce opposition developed in this country and in Canada. The Canadian Government referred the matter to a committee, which Sir William was attending at the time of his death, and this committee was then about to report. It was considered that, notwithstanding the Canadian Prime Minister's statement that the Government would stand or fall by the agreement, the report would recommend the agreement be not carried out in its original form. So much for that.

The measures of protection being afforded under the Safeguarding of Industries Act in Great Britain appear to be gradually—slowly perhaps but surely—converting that country to a realization that her future does not lie under the aegis of Free Trade. Here is how The Hamilton Spectator views the process: "Little by little Great Britain is building up a tariff wall against the flood of alien manufactures which threatened to inundate her industrial life. The wall is not very effective at present, but the bricks are being assembled and put into place. By overwhelming majorities the measures are passed into law and the voice of opposition grows more feeble. Starting in a secret session, due to a manoeuvre of the Opposition which was miscalculated, the debate now proceeds in the open. Turn where one may, the necessity for tariff protection is being more effectively recognized by the nations, except in our own country. Our responsible statesmen prefer to plough a lonely furrow, though the furrow gets lonelier and lonelier and threatens to end in complete isolation."

Provided Parliament gives his administration a vote of confidence, Mr. Mackenzie King is to reorganize his Government. The reorganization, it is said, will include Mr. Charles Dunning, the Premier of Saskatchewan, who may be appointed Minister of Immigration. Mr. Dunning is on record as saying that he would not hesitate to change his political arena if the Liberal Party would give him the guarantee of a declaration of war upon tariff protection. That is an extravagant demand, but Mr. King is prolific in promises though notoriously weak in implementing them.

Mr. Lloyd George holds a big stick over the Liberal Party in Britain, which he is no doubt utilizing to have his Land Policy approved. He has control of the bulk of the campaign fund and it is hinted that he will not allow it to be used until his purposes are served. It is an anomalous position within a political party that a politician who is not the leader and who has personal interests to serve should hold the sinews of political warfare.

Mr. Milton Campbell, the Progressive member for Mackenzie, Saskatchewan, says that the Progressive Party will sell its support in the best interests of the West. That is tantamount to saying that the Party looks upon itself as a bargaining power in Parliament. It is a conception of political morality that has reached a low grade.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

We have erred again, grievously erred, and must hasten to make a correction before our contemporaries in Vancouver find out about it. On Friday we stated that the annual rainfall in Victoria was less than half the rainfall in Vancouver for one month. We should have said that the rainfall in Victoria for the past year was less than double the rainfall in Vancouver for the month of December last.

Speaking of the vogue of the kilt, the Prime Minister of Great Britain recently made a very interesting statement. In point of fact, Mr. Baldwin hardly ever rises to his feet and opens his mouth in speech without making some exceedingly interesting statements. The Prime Minister said that but for the romantic and humorous novels and the inspiring poetry of Sir Walter Scott the kilt probably never would have been seen south of the Tweed.

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We can remember a time when the kilt was hardly ever seen in certain parts of Scotland, and was not a common article of apparel in any section of Scotland. In the part of Scotland with which we were once familiar the kilt was never worn by anybody but boys who had not attained school age; and it probably was worn by those boys because it was the cheapest article of attire procurable. We wore a kilt ourselves in those never-to-be-forgotten days, consequently we know all about it and shall never forget it. Our kilt was fashioned once a year by a modiste, which of course we considered an indignity to our majestic boyhood. Our dignity remained under a cloud until we had reached school age and were introduced to the local tailor.

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And thereby hangs the tale which fixes the memory of the gift indelibly on our mind. Annexed to this tale is the memory of a pet lamb and a collie dog. At home we always had a lamb to "bring up by hand," and there was a tradition amongst the juveniles of the family that the pet lamb must always be taught to bunt. It is an easy matter to teach a pet lamb to bunt. Just place your hand on the animal's head and push. The lamb will push back, and very soon it will become a ready and vigorous bunter. This bunting accomplishment is inherent in the nature of the beast, and very soon the lamb reaches the conclusion that every object that comes within its line of vision, particularly if that object is a thing endowed with life, is something to be bunted and knocked down.

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Have you ever seen a duel between two mature male sheep? If you have, you will have some idea of the capacity of those interesting creatures for delivering shattering bjows. We suspect that the idea of shock troops in war was developed by someone who was familiar with the martial methods of sheep. The sheep is the coolest fighter we have ever seen in action. The flock will be peacefully grazing when, apparently without any provocation whatever, two of its members will withdraw from the ruck, gravely pace out the ground, turn around and race at each other at a tremendous speed. Their heads will come together with a resounding crash that would shatter a piece of armor plate. Then the combatants, without the slightest indication of emotion of any kind, will pace the ground again and rush furiously at each other. This process will be continued until one of the animals, after shaking its head, probably to find out if anything has been shaken loose and will rattle, quietly retires from the tilting ground and proceeds with the interrupted business of filling its stomach. The flock is apparently oblivious of the fact that anything out of the ordinary has been going on.

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Well, attired in our kill, we were standing on a hillside one morning listening to the lark singing in the sky and the mavis on a bush playing an obligato on its flute. The collie was lying at our feet, dosing and dreaming of and apparently well content even with a dog's life upon a pleasant Summer day. Suddenly there was a shock and we landed, kilt side downmost, upon a whin bush. If you are ignorant of the prickling and penetrating attributes of a whin bush, go down to the Oak Bay golf links, on the peninsula skirted by the sea, and attempt to grasp one of the furzy shrubs growing there, and you will know something about our physical condition after we had emerged from the heart of that whin bush. The pet lamb we had taught the art of bunting had seen us standing in an apparent trance on that hillside, and had taken the only way it understood of rousing us from our reverie. Very soon afterwards that accomplished lamb became mutton, and the hillsides which once knew us, it and the collie dog knew it no more.

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The kilt is a very picturesque garment, but there are occasions when more complete attire is very desirable. We think possibly other people have found out what was penetratingly taught us by that too highly educated pet lamb. Even at the present day we never see a kilt without thinking of what happened to us long, long ago.

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However, as the Prime Minister of England has pointed out, the kilt has crossed the Tweed, not as it was in the habit of doing in the bad old days when there was perpetual enmity and constant warfare between England and Scotland, but on a mission of peace and goodwill. The kilt is more popular and more generally worn in many parts of the world than it is in Scotland. We have seen more kilts in Canada than we ever saw in Scotland. For that matter, there will soon be more Scots in Canada than ever there were in Scotland. One perfervid Celt who was born in Canada and had never smelt the heather paid a visit to the land of his fathers and told us with tears in his eyes and emotion in his voice that the sons of Scotland in Canada are brainier and brawnier men than the Scots who have remained at home. The man who told us that after a personal investigation was a competent authority. He was the late Mr. J. A. Macdonald, for several years editor-in-chief of The Toronto Globe, and attributed the fact he lamented to more bountifully laden tables and healthier conditions of life in Canada.

Almanacs and Their Ancient Usage

A few decades ago the Almanac was very much more common than it is now. The increased facilities for education, as well as the newspapers, have rendered the annual publication superfluous, excepting, perhaps, the Nautical Almanac, which is invaluable to the astronomer as well as the navigator, and statistical almanacs such as the New Edinburgh, Thom's Irish and Whittaker's, all of which contain information of great value.

At one time the people had to consult the priests concerning dates of festivals, holy days, etc. Then came the almanac with its weird prophecies, its doubtful information, and, what was worse, its superstitious nonsense.

About 300 B.C., the secretary of Appius Claudius, named Cneius Flavius, produced the forerunner of the almanac. Pliny states that this information was got from the pontifices and jurists by repeated consultations, others say he got it by the stealthy use of documents in his master's possession—the latter is probably incorrect as other authorities state that these "fasti aacri" were made by the orders of Appius Claudius. How or why the work was done is of little moment; Livy tells us that the "kalendares" or "fasti" were on white tablets and were exhibited round the forum.

Many old calendars have been brought to light through the researches of antiquaries, cut on marble or stone of various kinds, and these show the festivals, astronomical phenomena, and sometimes notices of historical events.

Wooden Records

What were known as "Clog Almanacs" (from clogg or log, because they were cut on square blocks of hard wood) were in use in some parts of England as late as the end of the seventeenth century. There were notches along the four corners, giving three months on each, corresponding to the days of the year; the weeks were shown by a deeper notch every seventh day; the months being marked by a stroke on the first day of each.

The earliest English calendar in the British Museum is for the year 1431, but manuscript almanacs are to be seen there of considerable age. The earliest almanac that can be authenticated belongs to the twelfth century, and among the most remarkable of the manuscripts in existence are those of Roger Bacon (1292), Peter de Dacia, a few years later; Walter de Elvendene (1327) and John Somera (1380).

The first painted almanac known is one for the year 1457, but one that appears to have been printed at Nuremburg in 1472 and compiled by Joannes de Monte-Regio, is the first of importance. This work embraced fifty-seven years (from 1475 to 1531 inclusive) in the almanacs for the different months.

The earliest almanac printed in England was "The Kalendar of Shepardes," a translation from the French, and printed by Richard Pyson about 1497.

Two members of the Company of Stationers were given the exclusive right to sell "almanacs and prognostications" in the reign of Elizabeth, and James I included two universities in the privilege. About 1770, Thomas Carnan, a bookseller, for three successive years published an almanac, and was imprisoned by the Stationers Company each time. Carnan contended that the Crown had no power to grant such monopoly, and in 1775 the Court of Common Pleas decided in his favor. The Company, in 1779, through Lord North, tried to regain its lost vantage by parliamentary enactment, but ineffectually, the bill being defeated by a majority of forty-five. The monopoly, however, was virtually retained by the company buying up all the almanacs issued by other publishers that they could; a considerable proportion of the publications of this nature are still produced by the Stationers' Company.

Predictions

From the remotest times the influence of the heavenly bodies on the affairs of men has been believed in. The early almanacs made a strong appeal in their predictions, and the titles of some of these take up quite a lot of space in telling of the influence of the moon, sickness, wars, and all kinds of other prognostications to be found within.

In 1579 the French almanac makers were prohibited from making any predictions by their ruler, Henry III. This restriction was never made in England.

The "British Alamanac," first issued on January 1, 1828, was produced by the Society for the Diffusion of Useful Knowledge, and was, to paraphrase their advertisement, almost the first attempt to produce a work to be useful to all classes, purified from the superstitions, prejudices and other objectionable matter contained in some of the most widely circulated almanacs up to that time, which "thus keep alive a spirit of ignorance utterly opposed to the desire for sound and practical information which distinguishes our own times." Later a supplement was issued called the "Companion to the Almanac." The two have been published by the Stationers' Company since 1870.

Shorthand Record

ESSEN, Germany, Jan. 8.—Ulrich Bruhn made what is claimed to be a world's record for shorthand in a competitive test here yesterday, reading 410 syllables a minute.

3-Minute Journeys

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Where New Year's Day Marks the Exchange of Gifts

We think of Christmas Day as the day for the giving and receiving of gifts, and the custom is almost universal. The fact is so fully accepted that every store in the country makes special preparations for the "Christmas rush."

But in France things are otherwise. There gifts are exchanged on New Year's Day. Everybody gives and receives gifts on this day in France, just as everybody exchanges them here on Christmas Day.

And the day is quite as joyous a holiday as Christmas Day is with us. The children awake in the morning as eager to see their stockings and the gifts of St. Nicholas as our children are on Christmas Day. There are enthusiastic greetings and good wishes exchanged among the members of the family.

One of the customary acts of the day is the visiting of the grave of any member of the family who has died during the year. After that, visits are made and the evening closes with a great family dinner at the home of the oldest member of the family.

New Year's Day is the one day of the year in which the French really indulge in candy eating. French children are not permitted to eat candy as a general thing. Their indulgence in sweets is extremely limited. But on this day they may partake of chocolates to their heart's content and the grown-ups, too, indulge in sweets to an unusual extent.

Paris itself is a busy medley of sound and jollity all of the New Year's Day. Everybody takes the opportunity for a promenade on the boulevards. The children, in their ribbons and best dresses, accompany their parents and gaze rapturously into the windows of the toy shops, which are elaborately trimmed for the day. All of the shops, particularly the confectioners and jewelers, take special pains to make their displays attractive.

Beggars of every age and variety swarm upon the streets of Paris on this day. It is the one day of the year when they can beg without being stopped. And they take full advantage of the fact. They sing and caper until they get their reward and then dance off. They seem to bear no grievance against anybody who refuses them on this day, but just accept it in good spirits.

All of France is gay on New Year's Day. The New Year is ushered in with merriment and joy, with generosity and goodwill.

Notable Anniversaries

January 9, 1816, is a memorable date, as being the day on which a Davy safety lamp was first taken into a coal mine. That courageous act was performed by the Rev. John Hodgson, rector of Jarrow, near Newcastle, who was one of the men instrumental in inducing Sir Humphry Davy to undertake the researches that resulted in the invention of the lamp. The great chemist's device has since that day become familiar to countless thousands of miners. Even the general public well understands the principle on which Sir Humphry based his lamp, namely, that flame will not pass through very small apertures to ignite the explosive gas outside, while air will pass through to feed the flame inside. Fine wire gauze was used by the inventor to secure this result. About the same time a safety lamp based on the same principle was devised by George Stephenson, later famous as the first railway builder, who bravely tested his own invention by using it in one of the coal pits near Newcastle. There was keen controversy over the rival claims of the "Davy" and the "Geordy" to priority, but the fact seems well established that the two lamps were invented simultaneously and independently of each other. Dr. Reid Clanny also devised a safety lamp about the same time, but it seems to have proved too heavy and cumbersome to be of practical use.

Year's Prison Term Given Hope Bandit

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 8. — Found guilty of attempted robbery with violence, Frank McIsaac was today sentenced to one year in Oakalla prison by Judge Howay in County Court. Evidence was given showing that Richard Duckering, a drug store clerk at Hope, B.C., was confronted by McIsaac with a gun in his hand and an order "Hands up." "Shoot to kill," shouted Duckering to imaginary men in a back room. The bandit turned and fled, but was captured by police within a few hours.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., January 8, 1926.

TEMPERATURE

	Min	Max
Victoria	39	41
Vancouver	32	40
Kamloops	22	34
Barkerville	24	36
Prince Rupert	46	54
Estevan	28	46
Dawson, Y.T.	6	20
Calgary, Alta.	24	38
Winnipeg, Man.	22	38
Portland, Ore.	36	46
San Francisco, Cal.	40	50
Seattle	38	42
Spokane	30	32
Penticton	29	34
Vernon	26	31
Grand Forks	20	32
Nelson	30	36
Cranbrook	20	27
Edmonton	32	42
Prince Albert	12	28
Swift Current	24	36
Qu'Appelle	16	34

FRIDAY

Maximum	41
Minimum	30
Average	40
Minimum on the grass	24

General state of the weather, cloudy.

FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and not much change in temperature.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, cold at night with fog.

5 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.37, wind, N., 14 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver — Barometer, 30.34, calm; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.34, wind, S., 4 miles; cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.36, calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.36, wind, S.E., 20 miles; cloudy.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.30, wind, N.W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Dawson—Barometer, 30.30, wind, E., 30 miles; clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.34, wind, E., 4 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.34, wind, N.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.26, wind, N.W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Holland Accepts

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Court Hears Power Dispute

Rights of Company and Municipality Brought Before Appeal Bench of Province

When the Court of Appeal adjourned last evening it was occupied with the case of the Corporation of the District of Maple Ridge vs. Western Power Company of Canada. This case will be continued on Monday morning. In the arrangement of the peremptory list for that day the appeal in Consineau vs. City of Vancouver was moved up to its original place on the list and ahead of Coast Shingle Co., Ltd., in bankruptcy.

In the case of Corporation of the District of Maple Ridge vs. Western Power Co. of Canada, Mr. J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., who appears as counsel for the power company, occupied most of yesterday in presenting his argument that this company had been unreasonably dealt with. He took the ground that the trial judge had no rights to enjoin the company from erecting its pole line. It might be in law that the court could enjoin the company from putting certain wires on the poles, the erection of poles was properly authorized and part of the wires could not be objected to.

One aspect of the difficulty between the company and the municipality, Mr. Farris pointed out, made it impossible for the power company to serve residents on the other side of the boundary line separating Maple Ridge from the adjoining municipality without doubling the wire lines on the road and going a long way round to supply the second line. This was due to the refusal to allow crossing the boundary road with any wires. This, said Mr. Farris, was unreasonable.

Judgment was reserved by their Lordships in the case of Lindland vs. Gazanoff yesterday. The questions before the court, following the decision the day before that the trial judge was right in his finding as to the length of the partnership, were as to the right and extent of the accounting to be carried out and as to costs.

The peremptory list for Monday is as follows:

Corporation of the District of Maple Ridge vs. Western Power Co. of Canada; Consineau vs. City of Vancouver; and Coast Shingle Co., Ltd., in bankruptcy.

Unconscious Man Still Unidentified

Picked Up on Vancouver Street Badly Smashed, Unknown Fails to Recover

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.— Unconscious since he was found senseless in the roadway at Powell Street and Clark Drive about 9 o'clock last night, an unidentified man, apparently a Filipino, and about seventy years of age, is lying in a critical condition at the Vancouver General Hospital.

Suffering from a fractured skull, lacerations and contusions about the face and body, and possible internal injuries, little hope is held out for the man's recovery.

M. Richman, B.C. Electric conductor, discovered the man lying in the street, and immediately summoned the police, who ordered him removed to the hospital.

Foggy weather and a possible impairment of hearing and vision due to advanced age, is thought to be the cause of the mysterious occurrence. It is considered likely that the man might have walked in front of an automobile. Police, however, have received no report from any motorist regarding an accident in that locality.

New Revolt in Sight

JUAREZ, Mex., Jan. 8.—Concentration of federal troops on the international boundary is in progress, because of reports of a new revolutionary movement, Marcos Flores, de facto mayor of Juarez, said today. "There are reports of a revolutionary movement," Flores said, "and the troops are being sent."

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(From The Daily British Colonist of January 9, 1876)

From New Westminster—The steamer Otter arrived here at three o'clock yesterday afternoon from New Westminster with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Trimble, Mrs Skinner, Mrs Bell, Mr. Dickenson, M.P.P., Mr. Brown, M.P.P., Messrs. Armand, Kaye, Wilbrow, Farris, Newton, McRoberts, Keary, Harvey, Kelly.

Rev. E. Cherrington—Bishop Cridge will conduct services in the Pandora Street Church today, morning and evening, for the last time. On Sunday next, at three o'clock, the dedicatory services will be held in the new church, Humboldt Street. Invitations will be extended to clergyman of other denominations to assist.

The opening of Parliament will take place tomorrow, at 2.30 p.m., with the customary display.

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Obituary

MOORE—The death occurred on January 8 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Joseph C. Moore, aged eighty years. Deceased was born in Owen Sound, Ontario, and had been a resident of this city for the last eighteen years, his late residence being 1726 Fourth Street. Deceased is survived by his widow, Mrs. Vilett Moore, at home; four daughters, Mrs. W. W. Worwick, of 2820 Fernwood Road; Mrs. L. Gettle, of West Sooke; Mrs. S. D. McDonald, of Prince Rupert; Mrs. W. Hiehl, of Seymour, Conn., U.S.A.; two sons, Dr. J. D. Moore, of Chilliwack, and Mr. W. S. Moore, of Ashcroft. The funeral will take place Monday, January 11, at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and the body will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

OATES—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Laura Oates, who passed away at her home, 3271 Quadra Street, on January 6 will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the above residence. The Rev. H. Knox will officiate, and interment will take place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

JOHNSON—Funeral service for the late Mrs. Dora Johnson will be held this afternoon at 3:30 at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

ATWOOD—The funeral of the late Arthur William Atwood took place yesterday at 11 o'clock from the residence, where a short service was held, and then proceeded to the Reformed Church where service was conducted by the Rev. A. deH. Owen. There was a large attendance of friends, and many floral offerings covered the casket and hearse. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God to Thee" and "Abide With Me." The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. W. Smith, W. L. Sea, F. Ella, A. Rogers, A. Booth and G. Ireland. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MUNRO—The remains of the late Mrs. Edith Maud Margaret Monro were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon. The funeral left Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1:45 and proceeded to St. John's Church, where service was held by the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, in the presence of a large attendance. Many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket and hearse and the hymns sung were "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me." The following acted as pallbearers: Col. W. N. Winsby, Messrs. H. J. Scott, J. E. Wilson, F. G. Maynard, C. E. White and J. W. D. York.

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Mr. J. A. Walker, as Practical Farmer, Tells Business Men Victoria Is Well Situated for Trade

Wheat Growing to Expand

Satisfied upon investigation that Victoria has every advantage in favor of handling grain for world shipment, Mr. J. A. Walker, of Edmonton, advises Victorians to lose no time in getting the grain handling plants here working. Mr. Walker is a practical farmer, who for eighteen years was a member of the Alberta Legislature. He said Ald. Woodward, of this city, had informed him of the decision of Victoria to enter the wheat shipping trade. He had investigated the situation and was convinced that this port was most advantageously situated to handle the trade.

By request, Mr. Walker addressed the directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, at which were present also the members of the tourist trade group, Premier Oliver, Mr. A. J. Gibson (vice-president of the Panama Pacific Grain Elevators) and members of the City Council.

Mr. Walker pointed out that the farmers wanted grain to come westward so as to open up a healthy competition with the eastward trend. The farmers, he said, realized that they were "up against" the cleverest of businessmen in the group who sought to see that shipments were made east alone. In combating the tendency to ship westward these men had offered advantages that would not otherwise be given.

Keep Costs Down

The advantages in keeping the costs down in Victoria shipments were stressed by Mr. Walker, who said that every slight advantage in handling charges had its part in securing trade. Mr. Walker was given a very enthusiastic reception and thanked for his presentation of the situation from the standpoint of the farmer.

In opening, Mr. Walker said he would deal with the grain trade from the view of the farmer. This view, he believed, was not often placed before the public. The great railway systems of the West, two of the greatest in the world, had had their effect in developing this grain trade. The grain elevator systems had also done a great part.

Mr. Walker traced the history of the Grain Acts, which today had reached a stage where the farmer could ship his own grain and not be made dependent upon the big companies. The maximum rate on grain fixed by the Crow's Nest Pass agreement was alluded to by the speaker. The farmers, as a war measure, did not object to the cancelling of that agreement. They objected after the war to this becoming permanent. The farmers of the West were a unit, he said, in favor of the maintenance of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement as the only method of holding the railway companies to a fair rate on grain.

He referred to the westward trend of grain which started a few years ago. In 1923 this reached large proportions. Although the capacity of Pacific elevators had increased fivefold now and the West had the greatest crop, there would, he considered, be less shipped by the West than in that year.

He said he believed as a Canadian that Canadians should pay more attention to the development of this country and less to the United States. The wheat interests of Winnipeg, Buffalo and New York were interested in seeing that the wheat went eastward. This had to be combated.

Develop Canadian Ports

Western Canada has now developed the best type of wheat in the world. When it went by United States ports control of the grade was lost. This should not be. He therefore advocated attention to the development of shipping by Canadian ports.

As long as the Winnipeg grain crowd had anything to say in the shipping of wheat so long would the Western ports have to fight hard to secure shipments that way. This year, in the fight for grain, the spread between the track and street prices dropped from five and six cents to one cent. This was to prevent westward shipments.

The farmers of Alberta were interested in Pacific port shipments because they desired a healthy competition. If the Pacific ports declined in the matter of wheat shipments the farmers would be back in the hands of the Winnipeg grain dealers.

He had studied somewhat the scheme of Victoria for entering the grain elevator business and he was now convinced that Victoria should get in and have the works erected without delay. He had just learned the number of liners cleared from Victoria outward bound in the last year. With such a condition there was a splendid opportunity to build up a large trade.

With even two car barges operating seventy cars it was possible to deliver 37,000,000 bushels here. To be conservative he put the amount very much less, namely 10,000,000 bushels, which could easily be handled by the proposed elevator here. This meant 300,000 tons of freight shipped from here.

The C.N.R. paid $13 a car in transferring grain from Port Mann to Vancouver. As shareholders in that railway, the citizens were all interested in this matter. The C.N.R. should, therefore, be desirous to get grain to Victoria. As far as the farmers were concerned, they did not discriminate as between Pacific Coast ports.

The costs, Mr. Walker said, must be guarded. A quarter of a cent a bushel in handling resulted in switching grain from one line to another. The attempt to get a little more money worked detrimentally.

It was not the size of the place that brought trade to a port. It was the disposition of the men behind the proposition that made the difference. This was instanced in the case of the British Isles and the ports there.

Trade Only Beginning

Alberta had 11,000,000 acres of land under wheat and produced 110,000,000 bushels of wheat. The Peace River would give a wonderful account for itself. The Garnet wheat had shortened the period of growing by ten days. This would push the wheat-growing area 100 miles farther north.

The time was coming when Canada, instead of having a production of 424,000,000 bushels, would have 824,000,000 bushels.

Victoria should get ready for that time. His warning was to hurry forward the preparation for wheat shipments.

There must be a cash market for the grain when it was received here, said Mr. Walker, and prices should be quoted daily. The permit system should be eliminated also, he advised. There were no restrictions going east; there should be none westward. He suggested an excursion of local businessmen next Summer over the two railway lines so as to become acquainted with the farmers and businessmen of the prairies.

Premier's Thanks

Premier Oliver, in moving a vote of thanks, said he had been led to believe the movement of wheat by the West would be larger than in 1923. On the Crow's Nest Pass agreement Mr. Oliver said that by the alterations made in the law the situation as to rates had improved, not only for British Columbia but for the prairie provinces. The area covered by the application of the rate on grain had been extended to the whole of the prairies instead of to a limited part.

The question of rates went deeper than applying to any one province, it went to the basis of confederation itself, said the Premier.

Acting-Mayor Marchant seconded the vote of thanks, which was enthusiastically carried.

Prominent Citizen Dies at Home Here

Mr. Charles Drummond-Hay, Well-Known Resident, to Be Buried at Winnipeg

Mr. Charles Drummond-Hay, a member of the Chamber of Commerce, and also of the Rotary Club, and since he took up his residence here in 1918 keenly interested in the promotion of everything pertaining to the city's interests, passed away at his home, 141 Gorge Road, yesterday morning. The funeral is to take place on Monday afternoon at 12:30 from the Thomson parlors, and from there will proceed to Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be held at 12:45. The remains will be forwarded by the afternoon boat to Vancouver, en route for Winnipeg, interment to be in the family plot in Elmwood Cemetery there.

The son of Colonel Robert Thomas Hay Drummond-Hay, he was born seventy years ago at Poonah, Bombay Presidency, India, where his father was stationed at the time as colonel of the Black Watch. His boyhood was spent on the Island of St. Helena with his uncle, Sir Edward Drummond-Hay, then governor of the island, and with Sir John Drummond-Hay when he was stationed at Tangier as British Minister Plenipotentiary to Morocco.

His father becoming commandant of Edinburgh Castle, he returned to Scotland, and continued his studies for the diplomatic service. After passing his examinations and about the time of the outbreak of the Matabele War, he went out to South Africa and saw active service in that outbreak, with the Cape Mounted Rifles.

He returned to England in 1880. In 1881 he came to Canada, settling in Manitoba. There he continued to live until 1918, when he retired and moved out to Victoria, where he immediately showed a keen interest in the promotion of community interests.

He had been ill for a considerable time. Besides the widow, who lives here, there survive one daughter, Doreen, living at home; and two sons, Mr. H. R. Drummond-Hay, of Winnipeg, and Mr. H. S. Drummond-Hay, of Vancouver. There is also a sister living in Winchester, England.

Mr. H. R. Drummond-Hay, the son who is living here, will accompany the body to Winnipeg.

Soo Chong Acknowledges Theft of Clothes, But Chow Gow Defers Plea

Soo Chong, who with Chow Gow was charged in police court yesterday with stealing clothes from the store of George Straith, Ltd., pleaded guilty to the offence. He was not represented by counsel but intimated that he wanted to plead guilty and have the case disposed of summarily by Magistrate Jay.

Chow Gow, through his counsel, Mr. R. C. Lowe, asked for an adjournment. Counsel said he wished to postpone entering a plea until he had had time to consult with his client.

An adjournment was made until next Tuesday. On the request of Mr. C. L. Hanson, city prosecutor, the passing of sentence upon Soo Chong was also deferred until Tuesday.

Mr. Harrison said he would show that while Soo Chong certainly took the garments in the store, that Chow Gow was directly connected with the crime. He had entered the store with the other and had occupied the attention of the clerk while the crime was carried out.

Martyr to Science

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Infected by X-rays in the course of research work for science and his patients, Dr. J. A. Day, of Waltham, is in Massachusetts General Hospital with his lower right arm and three fingers of his left hand amputated and little hope is held for his recovery. The two remaining fingers are infected and physicians say there is no known method for checking the disease.

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Spots Now Appearing on Sun



Mr. W. E. Jackson, Canadian astronomical authority, has prepared the above drawing, depicting in detail the interesting spots which are so prevalent on the sun at this time. The earth, says Mr. Jackson, could easily be lost in some of the spots, which may be observed at this time through smoked glasses.

Use of Blood Hounds Upsets Murder Trial

Charles White Must Be Given New Hearing According to Yesterday's Decision of Court of Appeal

Bench Divides on Question

Charles Henry White, known familiarly as "Sonny" White, will be given a new trial. Convicted of the murder of Frank Rosso at North Vancouver last June he was sentenced to hang Thursday next at Oakalla.

The Court of Appeal yesterday morning handed down its decision that the conviction should be set aside and a new trial should be granted.

Chief Justice Macdonald, in delivering this oral judgment yesterday, intimated that Mr. Justice Martin and Mr. Justice Galliher dissented from this decision. He said he would hand down a written judgment later.

The question at issue in the appeal taken by Mr. Alex Henderson, K.C., representing White, was as to whether evidence admitted at the trial as to the actions of bloodhounds used to scent the alleged movements of White was properly introduced before the jury.

Mr. Justice Martin in dissenting from the majority judgment yesterday, said he felt the judge below had been right. The action of the bloodhounds as allowed to be introduced at the trial was rightly admitted. He could see no reason for objecting to the direction made by the judge on this point to the jury. His opinion was that the trial judge took a proper course.

Injured Traveler Wins C.P.R. Suit

Nelson Man Awarded $1,875—Knocked Down by Yard Engine at Yahk

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—Judgment for $1,875 was awarded A. McFetridge, seventy-nine, of Nelson, against the Canadian Pacific Railway Company by Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald of the Supreme Court today.

The trial was at Cranbrook before his lordship and a jury returned a verdict for McFetridge. He had been injured at Yahk station, where he was transferring from a Spokane International train to a C.P.R. local for Nelson. He missed the connection and while seeking accommodation was run down by a yard engine.

No evidence was offered by the C.P.R. at the trial, defendant contending that the action should be dismissed for the reason that McFetridge was trespassing when injured. Mr. Justice Macdonald decided against this contention and held that plaintiff was an "invitee."

Province May Again Request Liquor Law

The Province may make a fourth attempt to secure Federal legislation prohibiting the private importation of liquor and thus abolishing the legal export of liquor from British Columbia bases, according to a statement of the Attorney-General yesterday.

The Attorney-General will consult his colleagues on this question immediately, and it is expected that a decision will be forthcoming shortly.

The desired legislation has been passed three times by the Canadian House of Commons, but each time has been vetoed by the Senate.

Snow in Dixie

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 8.—Snow, sleet and rain today had converted Sunny Dixie into a land of juicy slush. From the Ohio to Potomac Rivers, extending into Middle Georgia and Alabama, the section was experiencing a steady chilling rain, generously intermingled with snow and sleet.

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New Lumber Plant May Come To Victoria in Near Future

Mr. W. W. Eastman, General Manager of Canadian Western Cooperage, Receives Interesting Wire From Mayor Pendray—Portland Capital Interested

Mayor J. Carl Pendray, in a telegram received yesterday by Mr. William W. Eastman, general manager of the Canadian Coperage Company, indicated that Victoria may get another new industry. The wire read as follows:

"Please mail me, care of Palace Hotel, San Francisco, name and address of party in Portland we were discussing, who might be interested in starting a manufacturing plant in Victoria. Also letter of introduction."

Mr. Eastman stated to The Colonist yesterday that letters had been forwarded and that there was every hope of a new industry of some considerable size coming to this city. Mr. Eastman, however, did not care to divulge the name of the party interested at the present time. He said he preferred to wait until negotiations had been completed.

Bolts to Be Brought

He also stated that Mr. Russel Horton, of the McMaster Horton Company, left yesterday morning for Cowichan Lake and way points, where he expects to arrange for bolts to be brought into his plant to keep it running for some ninety days.

It is hoped that the Canadian Western Cooperage Company and the McMaster Horton Company will be able to bring their products down to Victoria from various inland points without trouble. Mr. Eastman, general manager of the Canadian Western Cooperage Company, stated.

Improvement Suggested

Mr. Horton and Mr. Eastman do not get co-operation from Government officials in charge of roads, however, and there will most likely be from fifty-five to eighty men out of employment, Mr. Eastman went on to say. He was referring to some objection that has been raised to the trucking of bolts from Sooke, Goldstream and other Up-Island points.

Mr. Eastman, who said he was not only a hard worker in the campaign to develop Victoria, but that his interest spread over the southern end of Vancouver Island, said that the road question was a debatable one which he was ready to meet, but at the same time he urged that some improvements be made in the southern Vancouver Island roads.



Little Girl (to visitor): "Are you very old?" Visitor: "No, dear."
Little Girl: "Have you traveled a great deal?" "No, dear."
Little Girl: "Then when did you get so crumpled?"

—From The Humorist.

Family of Five Discovered Dead

Jealous Chauffeur Believed to Have Slain Self, Wife and Three Children

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Five bodies, the entire family of Thomas King, a young chauffeur, were found lying on a bed in his apartment today under circumstances that outlined a tragedy.

The last time the family was seen alive was Wednesday night, when King returned home. Police said he found his wife flirting with another man who left. Neighbors then heard a great racket.

Marks on the walls of the home showed that King chased his wife and children from room to room, striking them all with a baseball bat, a Christmas gift to the oldest boy from his mother. The children ranged from one to five years old, two boys and a girl. He piled all four victims on the bed. Taking the baby boy aged one in his arms, he lay down beside them and cut his throat.

An autopsy tonight disclosed that Mrs. King would have become a mother in about two months, and that King died from gas poisoning and not from the self-inflicted wound. Traces of gas were found in the lungs of Mrs. King and the children, showing they died soon after King had turned on the gas to end his life.

Woman Judge Barred

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—Senior County Judge Emerson Coatsworth, who is also chief magistrate of Toronto, announced his reasons, yesterday for ordering that cases involving the possible penalty of lashing should not be heard by Magistrate Margaret Patterson in women's court. "Brutal cases of men attacking women should be tried by a man," his honor declared. "The idea of the women's court is to try women—domestic relation cases and probably non-support cases."

Conservative Executive Thanks City Members For Sessional Labor

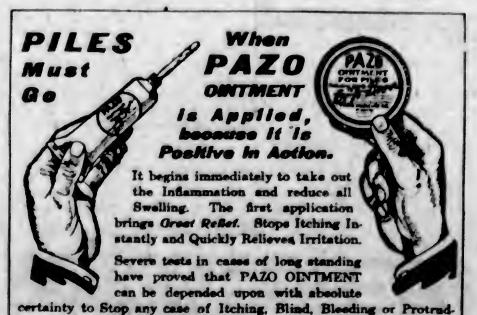
At a largely attended meeting of the Central Executive of the Conservative Association of Victoria, Mr. Lindley Crease, K.C., president of the association in the chair, the following resolution was adopted unanimously: "That the Central Executive of the Conservative Association of the City of Victoria, at this, its first meeting after the prorogation of the B.C. Legislature, records its appreciation of the work done during the session by the Conservative members under the House leadership of Mr. R. H. Pooley, and reaffirms its confidence in Messrs. Hayward, Hinchliffe, Twigg and Lyons, the members for Victoria City, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Pooley and to each of the four Victoria members, and published in the newspapers."

Orders Inquest

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—Following an autopsy on the body of William Johnstone, who died suddenly at his home this morning, Dr. H. L. Turnbull, casualty surgeon for South Vancouver, announced that death was due to a rib broken on New Year's morning. An inquest will be ordered. It is reported that Johnstone's rib was broken when he tripped over a dog.

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Smyrna Natural Figs, regular 15c lb. for	10c	**Heinz Tomato Catsup,** regular 35c bottle for	28c
Dishco Sliced Pineapple, reg. 20c tin for	15c	**Keepsweet Cream,** reg. 15c tin for	10c
Corn on the Cob, reg. 25c tin for	19c	**2-in-1 Blacking,** reg. 12c tin for	9c
Saanich Clams, reg. 20c tin for	16c	**Purity Shaker Salt,** per pkg.	10c
Quaker Peas, No. 4, regular 20c tin for	15c	**Okanagan Tomatoes,** tin	10c
Dehydrated Peaches or Pears, reg. 50c pkt. for	35c	**Quaker Apricots,** large tin, reg. 40c, for	34c
Nice Prunes, reg. 15c lb., for	12½c	**Finest Shelled Walnuts,** pieces, per lb.	35c
Dr. Price's or Royal Baking Powder, reg. 55c tin for	40c	Quarters, per lb.	38¢
Canada First Corn, reg. 13c tin for	10c	Halves, per lb.	42¢
Royal City Pears, large tin, reg. 45c, for	34c	**Beach-Eakins Pure Jams, Strawberry and Black Currant,** 4-lb. tin	75c
		Other flavors, per tin	65¢
Fig Bar Biscuits, reg. 30c lb., for	19c	**Soft Chocolates,** reg. 30c lb., for	22c
Chocolate Eclair Biscuits, reg. 45c lb., for	30c	**Turkish Delight,** reg. 40c lb., for	28c
Christie's Ginger Wafers, reg. 50c tin for	39c	**Russian Jellies,** reg. 40c lb., for	25c
Novita Chocolates, reg. 45c lb., for	35c	**French Creams,** reg. 35c lb., for	25c
Albert's Shaving Soap, reg. 15c tablet for 8¢; or 2 for	15c	**Camphor,** in blocks, regular 15c for	7c

Large Sweet Oranges, per doz.	35¢	**Ripe Pears,** 4 lbs. for	25¢
Nice Juicy Lemons, per doz.	16¢	**Fresh Rhubarb,** per bundle	25¢
Large Florida Grapefruit, 2 for	25¢	**Fresh Cranberries,** per lb.	23¢
Jap Oranges, last shipment, box,	69¢	**New Mixed Nuts,** 2 lbs. for	45¢
Sun-Maid Cluster Raisins, box	13¢	**Good Local Potatoes,** 15 lbs. for	50¢
Good Sound Onions, 10 lbs. for	25¢	**Fresh Celery,** 2 for	15¢
Fresh Brussels Sprouts, 3 lbs. for	25¢	**Large Savoy Cabbage,** each	10¢
Fresh Carrots, 15 lbs. for	25¢	**Good Head Lettuce,** 2 for	25¢
Good Swede Turnips, 10 lbs.	25¢	**Sweet Navel Oranges,** per doz.	19¢
Good Cooking Apples, per box,	$1.15	**New Smyrna Cooking Figs,** 2 lbs. for	25¢
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Swiss Knight Cheese, box	48¢	**Smoked Picnic Hams,** lb.	20¢
Gorgonzola or Roquefort Cheese, per lb.	55¢	**Ayrshire Roll,** sliced, lb.	35¢
Domestic Shortening, regular 25c pkg. for	19¢	**Cooked Ham,** sliced, lb.	53¢
Peanut Butter, lb.	17½¢	**Cookit,** per lb.	20¢
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Sirloin Tip Roasts, 4½-lb. average, per lb., 20¢ and	18c	**Legs of Veal,** 6 to 7 lb. average, per lb.	23c
Buttock Roasts, lean and tender, per lb., 20¢ and	16c	**Veal Shoulder Roasts,** per lb., 18¢ and	16c
Small Sirloin Roasts, cut short, from 2 lbs. up, per lb.	30c	**Necks and Breasts of Veal,** for pies, 3 lbs. for	32c
Prime Rib Roasts, cut straight or rolled; bone weighed in, per lb.	20c	**Large Boiling Fowls,** per lb.	32c
		Fresh Made Beef Sausages, 2 lbs. for	25c
Lean Pot Roasts and Beef Brisket, per lb., 12¢ and	10c	**Fresh Beef Hearts,** each	25c
		Round Steak, per lb., 18¢ and	15c

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Nelson Has Surplus

NELSON, B.C., Jan. 8.—The city of Nelson ends the year with a cash surplus of about $14,000, which would have been $23,000 if $9,000 had not been expended from current revenue on the five-mile water project, thus lessening by that sum the amount of the water debenture issue. This is the fourth year in succession of a generous civic surplus, those of the first three years totaling $60,000, being constituted a water renewal fund, of which the five-mile project now gets the benefit.

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Conservative Members' Pledge Leader Support

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—The first Conservative caucus of the session was held this morning.

"The loyal and undivided support of every Conservative member was pledged," it is stated, to the Conservative chief, whose leadership was lauded by all speakers. It was decided that during the present crisis the programme and tactics of the Conservative Party "would be left largely in the hands of Mr. Meighen."

Donald Sutherland, Oxford South, was re-elected chairman of the caucus. Today's caucus was attended by practically everyone of the 114 Conservative members in the House of Commons and many Conservative Senators.

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Show to Terminate Today

Except for some special prizes, the judging at the Provincial Poultry Show was completed yesterday. The experts of both governments, representative breeders, and officials of the exhibition, are all agreed that the display reflects the greatest credit on all participating. Today will be the closing one of the shows, which was better patronised by visitors yesterday afternoon than had previously been the case.

Mr. W. J. Heads, of Vancouver, won the distinction of the best pen in the show, with White Wyandottes, his cockerel and hen in this section also taking honors for the best pair of birds displayed.

In the Utility class, Mr. James Walker, of Berquitlam, won with Barred Rocks, as the best exhibit shown.

The best pen of the Mediterranean classes went to Mr. John Harris, of Chase River.

Mr. W. Miller, of this city, scored with Single Comb Rhode Island Reds for the best bird shown.

Fine Egg Exhibit

Special comment was heard round the show building yesterday at the splendid exhibit of eggs staged by Mr. N. E. Plaxton, who resides on Holland Avenue, and since his return from overseas has taken up poultry raising. Mr. Plaxton won each of his classes in the three grades in which he exhibited, and almost achieved full marks thereon. He also won in poultry classes.

Very little has been said of the display of pigeons and cage birds. The chief variety of the former shown were Homers, while three colors in canaries formed the offering.

The Association

The election of officers was made at the annual meeting of the B.C. Poultry Association, and resulted in the following being chosen: President, Mr. R. N. Clerke, Vernon; vice-president, Mr. A. H. Turvey, Chilliwack; executive committee, Messrs G. D. Brown, Kamloops; J. Grant, Point Grey; Rev. C. McDiarmid, Mission City; H. Barnard, Penticton; J. J. Dougan, Cobble Hill, and T. Sommerville, Vancouver; secretary-treasurer, Mr. J. R. Terry, Victoria; assistant secretary, Miss H. Leighton, and auditor, Mr. F. W. Laing, Victoria.

Votes of thanks were passed to the Dominion Department of Agriculture relative to the excellent work of Mr. W. E. Hagger, Vancouver Island egg inspector, for his efforts in connection with the egg exhibit. Photographs of the exhibit are to be secured and forwarded to all leading agricultural periodicals in the Dominion of Canada.

The next convention will be held at Vancouver.

Lecture in Poultry

Under the auspices of the Dominion Livestock Department a lecture was given at the Victoria High School Thursday afternoon, demonstrating the difference between a productive and non-productive hen, and along general poultry raising lines. Full information on methods of incubation and care of poultry followed.

The list is as follows:

Additional awards are as follows:

Eggs

Extras—Brown, F. R. Stewart, 1; P. Burns, 2; Cowichan Creamery, 3. White, Swift Canadian Co., 1; Cowichan Creamery, 2; B. Wilson Limited, 3; Pat Burns, 4.

Firsts—Brown, P. Burns, 1; David Spencer, Limited, 2; B. Wilson, 3; White, Cowichan Creamery, 1; P. Burns, 2; A. R. Stewart, 3; R. Wilson, 4.

Special display (in cartons)—Hudson's Bay Co., 1; David Spencer, 2; F. R. Stewart, 4.

One dozen brown eggs, extras, Mrs. F. Crawford, 1126 North Park Street.

Utility Class

S.C. Black Leghorn—John Harris, cock, 1; hen, 1, 2 and 3; cockerel, 2; pullet, 1, 2 and 3; old pen, 1; young pen, 1.

S.C. Anconas—J. Harris, cock, 1; hen, 1, 2 and 3; cockerel, 1; pullet, 1, 2 and 3; old pen, 1; young pen, 1. E. E. Corbie, cock, 2; cockerel, 2.

Barred Plymouth Rocks — James Walker, cock, 1; hen, 1, 2, 3 and 4; cockerel, 1, 2 and 6; pullet, 1, 3, 4 and 5; old pen, 1; young pen, 1. C. G. Golding, cock, 3; hen, 6; cockerel, 3; pullet, 2; old pen, 2; young pen, 2. C. J. Spratt, cock, 2; hen, 5; cockerel, 4; pullet, 6. S. Honeychurch, young pen, 3.

White Wyandottes—Miller Higgs, cock, 2; hen, 4; old pen, 2. E. and M. A. Barnes, cockerel, 1 and 3. J. Stewart, cock, 1; hen, 1, 2 and 3; cockerel, 3 and 4; pullet, 1, 2, 3 and 4; old pen, 1; young pen, 1.

Rhode Island Reds—R. N. Clarke, cockerel, 4. W. Miller, cock, 1; hen, 1, 3 and 4; cockerel, 2; pullet, 1. D. Nicol, cock, 2; hen, 3; cockerel, 1 and 3; pullet, 2, 3 and 4. W. Miller, old pen, 1; young pen, 1. D. Nicol, old pen, 2; young pen, 2.

Exhibition Class

Dark Barred Rocks—Wm. Newbury, hen 1; A. D. McRae, cock 1, hen 3 and 5, old pen 1; Surprise Poultry Yards, cock 3, hen 6, old pen 3; Geo. W. Daykin, cockerel 1 and 2, young pen 3; S. Honeychurch, cockerel 4; J. D. Blackstock, cock 2 and 4, hen 2 and 4, pullet 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6, old pen 2, young pen 1; Surprise Poultry Yards, cockerel 3, young pen 3; Lewis Houston, pullet 5.

Light Barred Rocks—S. Honeychurch, cock 3, hen 1 and 2; J. D. Blackstock, cockerel 2, pullet 3, young pen 2; A. D. McRae, cock 2, hen 5; Surprise Poultry Yards, cock 1, hen 3, 4 and 6, cockerel 1 and 3, pullet 3, old pen 1, young pen 1; G. H. Cavin, cock 4; R. H. Fortune, pullet, 1, 4, 5 and 6; Wm. Newbury, cockerel 4.

Buff Rocks—C. D. Worthington, cock 1, hen 1 and 2, cockerel 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1, 2 and 3, young pen 1.

Partridge Rocks—B. Hebdan, hen 1, 2 and 4, cockerel 1, pullet 1, 2 and 4, young pen 1; C. D. Worthington, cock 1, hen 3, cockerel 2, 3 and 4, pullet 3, old pen 1.

White Rocks—Wace, Williams & Reason, cock 1, hen 1 and 2, cockerel 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1, 2, 3 and 4, old pen 1, young pen 1; Thomas Sommerville, hen 3 and 4.

S.C. Rhode Island Reds—M. Blackstock, cockerel 3 and 5, pullet 4 and 6, young pen 2; D. Nicol, cock 1 and 3, hen 1, 4 and 5, pullet 2 and 6, old pen 1 and 3, young pen 3; William Miller, cock 2 and 4, hen 2, 3 and 6, cockerel 2, 2, 5 and 6, pullet 1 and 3, old pen 2, young pen 1.

R.C. Rhode Island Reds—R. N. Clerke, cock 1 and 3, hen 1, 2 and 3, cockerel 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1, 3 and 3, old pen 1, young pen 1.

White Wyandottes—W. J. Heads, cockerel 1, pullet 1, 2, 3 and 4, young pen 1; Wm. Newbury, cock 1, 2 and 4, hen 1, 2, 3 and 4, old pen 1; A. H. Beasant, cock 3.

Partridge Wyandottes—J. S. Hickford, cock 1 and 4, hen 3, cockerel 1 and 4, pullet 1, 2 and 4, old pen 2, young pen 1; R. Wilson, cock 2 and 3, hen 1, 2 and 4, cockerel 2 and 3, pullet 3, old pen 1.

Golden Wyandottes—Rev. C. McDiarmid, cock 1, 2 and 3, hen 1, cockerel 1 and 4, pullet 1, 2 and 3, young pen 1.

Silver Laced Wyandottes—Rev. C. McDiarmid, hen 1 and 2; R. Wilson, cock 1, hen 3, cockerel 1, pullet 1.

S.C. White Leghorns—J. F. Hanna, cockerel 1 and 3, young pen 1; J. Aitkenhead, cock 1, hen 4, cockerel 3; J. Shaw, hen 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1, 2 and 3; N. E. Plaxton, hen 5 and 6, cockerel 4, pullet 4, 5 and 6, young pen 2; D. Nicol, cock 5.

S.C. Black Leghorns—J. Harris, hen 1, cockerel 1, pullet 1, 2 and 3, young pen 1.

S.C. Anconas—Jas. Florence, cockeral 4, pullet 4 and 6, young pen 3; F. Taylor, cockerel 3; J. Harris, cock 1 and 2, hen 1, 2, 3 and 4, cockerel 1 and 2, pullet 1, 2, 3 and 5, old pen 1 and 2, young pen 1 and 2.

Light Sussex—W. P. Hurst, cock 1; J. D. Wardell, cockerel 1.

Jersey Black Giants—Bert Chester, cock 3, hen 4, cockerel 3, pullet 3 and 4; F. N. Zeigler, cock 1 and 2, hen 1, 2 and 3, cockerel 1 and 2, pullet 1, old pen 1; J. Stewart, cockerel 4.

S.C. Black Minorcas—J. Greig, cock 2, hen 2 and 3, cockerel 3, pullet 3, 4 and 6, old pen 2, young pen 1; A. Wallack, cock 1, hen 1 and 4, cockerel 4, pullet 5, old pen 1, young pen 2; Jas. Leiper, cock 3; Mrs. Ivy Bradson, cockerel 1 and 2, pullet 1 and 3.

R.C. Black Minorcas—Jas. Leiper, hen 1 and 2.

Mottled Houdans—J. P. Sarsiat, cock 1, 2 and 3, hen 1, 2 and 3, cockerel 1, pullet 1, 2 and 3, old pen 1, young pen 1.

Silver Spangled Hamburgs—J. P. Sarsiat, cock 1, 2 and 3, hen 1, 2, 3 and 4, cockerel 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1, 2 and 3, old pen 1, young pen 1.

Blue Andalusians—C. D. Worthington, cock 1 and 2, hen 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1 and 2, old pen 1.

White Crested Black Polish—J. P. Sarsiat, cock 1 and 2, hen 1, 2 and 3, cockerel 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1, 2 and 3, old pen 1, young pen 1.

Light Brahmas—H. Hodgson, cock 1 and 2, hen 1, 2 and 3, cockerel 2 and 4, pullet 2, 3 and 4; A. R. Havers, cockerel 1 and 3, pullet 1.

Dark Cornish Game—Wm. Stonehouse, cock 1, hen 4; W. E. Hill, cock 2 and 3, cockerel 2 and 3, pullet 4 and 5; Miller Higgs, cock 4, hen 5 and 6, cockerel 1; Geo. Miles, hen 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1, 2 and 3.

Buff Orpingtons — R. Johnstone, pullet 1; John Shaw, cock 1, hen 3; J. A. Barr, cock 2 and 3, hen 1, 2 and 4, cockerel 1, pullet 2, 3 and 4, old pen 1, young pen 1.

White Orpingtons—J. Shaw, cock 1, hen 1 and 2, cockerel 1 and 2, pullet 2 and 3, old pen 1, young pen 1; A. H. Turvey, cock 2, hen 3 and 4, cockerel 3, pullet 1, old pen 2, young pen 2.

Black Orpingtons—John Shaw, hen 1 and 2; Alex. McKay, cockerel 1 and 3, pullet 1, 2 and 3, young pen 1; Braemar Orpington Yards, cockerel 2.

Silver Grey Dorkings—J. Harris, cock 1, hen 1, 2 and 3, old pen 1.

White Favorelles—J. P. Sarsiat, cock, hen 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1 and 2, old pen 1.

Salmon Favorelles—J. P. Sarsiat, cock 1, 2 and 3, hen 1, 2 and 3, cockerel 1, 2 and 3, pullet 1 and 2, old pen 1.

Sicilian Buttercups—Geo. Adams, hen 1, 2 and 3; Harry Adams, cockerel 1, pullet 1, 2 and 3.

Pit Game—H. O. Kimball, cock 1, 2 and 3, hen 1, 2 and 3.

Bantams, Old English Spangled — A. Jeffery, cock 1, hen 1, 2 and 3, cockerel 2 and 4; R. B. Jeffery, cock 2, cockerel 1, pullet 1, 2 and 3.

Rose Comb Black — Miss Ruth Higgs, cock 1, hen 1.

Golden Seabright—Mrs. McVickers, cock 1, hen 1 and 2, cockerel 1, pullet 1 and 2.

Pyle Game—C. D. Worthington, cock 1, hen 1, pullet 1.

Buff Cochin Bantams—A. Sausbury, cock 1, hen 1, cockerel 1, pullet 1; E. A. Bruce, cockerel 2; J. Bruce, hen 2.

Indian Runner Ducks — Miller Higgs, drake 1, duck 1, 2 and 3, pen 1.

Pekin Ducks—Rev. Ed. Schielen, drake 1, duck 1, 2 and 3, pen 1.

Toulouse Geese—W. Hill, gander 1, goose 1, 2 and 3.

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Western Star Lodge—Western Star Lodge, No. 7, A.O.U.W., will hold its next regular meeting on Monday, January 11, in St. Saviour's schoolroom.

Archdeacon Heathcote Here—Venerable Archdeacon F. C. C. Heathcote and Mrs. Heathcote, of Vancouver, are enjoying a holiday in the city as guests of Rt. Rev. Bishop Schofield and Mrs. Schofield at Bishop's Close.

U.C.T. Luncheon—The United Commercial Travelers' regular luncheon was held yesterday afternoon at Spencer's tea room. Mr. S. J. Willis, Superintendent of Education for the Province, gave an interesting and instructive talk on the educational problems in this Province.

Change of Name—Notice is given in The British Columbia Gazette that the James Logging Company, which was conducted at Cowichan Lake, and which is now operated by the Empire Lumber Company, will be known after the end of this month as the Elco Logging Company.

Displaying Tea Service—The handsome silver tea service, tray and cake basket, presented to Madame Kate Webb by the past and present students of the Dominion Academy of Music, are being displayed in the window of Messrs. Wenger, Ltd., 623 Yates Street, by whom they were supplied.

Condemned Tar Gets Reprieve From Dominion

Norwegian Sailor Sentenced to Die for Ship Murder to Serve Life Term in Prison Instead

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—The Secretary of State Department this morning received a copy of an order-in-council commuting to life imprisonment the death sentence passed on Harold Berentsen, a Norwegian now in Oakalla Prison. He was to have been executed on January 18.

The jury brought in a recommendation for mercy, which it is understood was taken into consideration in commuting the sentence as well as were the circumstances which started the fight, and the fact that Berentsen is an epileptic.

Reassessment Of All Lands Is Advocated

Question Occupies Primary Attention at Cedar Hill Meeting—Health Centre Issue in Ward Seven

Councillor H. O. Kirkham, in dealing with the reassessment and taxation question at last night's Saanich election meeting of Ward One in St. Aidan's Hall, said that he was in favor of a general reassessment of not only farming lands, but property in general and improvements.

Mr. Kirkham was asked if he was in favor of the Improvement Tax and replied that although he was not in favor of such a course he could see no other remedy. At the present time, he said, there were no figures on improvements whereby a person could draw conclusions, and therefore advocated an assessment on improvements. But this did not mean that the Improvement Tax would be enforced. This, he stated, would be discussed only when the situation arose.

Mr. Watson Speaks

Ex-Reeve George F. Watson spoke during the evening. He intimated that he was opposed to the Improvement Tax. He said that he did not think that this was the remedy. He did not say whether he would be a candidate for reeve this year or not although it is understood that pressure is being brought to bear upon him to run for the reeveship.

Mr. Robert E. Collis also spoke on taxation, reiterating his remarks made at the Tillicum School meeting on Thursday night. He said that he was strongly in favor of the Improvement Tax.

The Reeve

Mr. Macnicol outlined the work during the last year in his remarks at this meeting, discussing fully the Health Centre question, land reassessment, and the financial condition of the municipality, which he pointed out was good, especially in view of the fact that several demands for money were made toward the end of the year which were not included in the estimates.

Other speakers during the evening were Mr. R. S. Twining, who is running for school trustee; Mr. J. Cheetham also a candidate for school trustee; Commissioner Charles King and Mr. A. E. Scaife, who are running for police commissioners.

Ward Seven Meeting

In Ward Seven the whole of the discussion was devoted to the Saanich Health Centre at the meeting last evening. Dr. H. E. Young, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health; Dr. R. L. Miller, the late medical health officer of the municipality; Reeve Macnicol, Trustee Mrs. Campion, and Trustee Thorpe, were the speakers.

The attitude of the meeting was very similar to that in Ward Four on Thursday evening, when the majority showed by their questions that they favored the Health Centre remaining open, but were desirous of more rigid responsibility by the management to the municipal council, and also a drastic change in the policy of administration.

Premier King Receives Party Confidence Vote

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—A resolution of confidence in the leader of the Liberal party, Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King, was passed in the caucus of Liberal members of the House and Senate this morning. The resolution was moved by F. Stork, member for Skeena, and seconded by F. Rinfret, member for St. James. Hon. Charles Marcil was elected president of the Government caucus.

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Government Migrant Aid Opposed by Native Sons

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—While recognizing the need for the immigration of persons qualified to become productive citizens of the Dominion, the Native Sons of British Columbia, Post No. 2, is opposed to governmental assistance for immigrants, and is so advising the Ottawa and Provincial governments.

The attitude of the Native Sons of British Columbia, as outlined in their resolution, is that the country requires men and women of courage, resource and enterprise, who will be able by their own efforts to win their way to a place in the community.

Kemal Turkey's Master

LONDON, Jan. 8.—For the moment, Mustapha Kemal Pasha is everything and everybody in Turkey, says J. A. Spender, editor of The Westminster Gazette, in another of the special articles he is contributing to his paper from Turkey. Whatever the Turks may privately think of the westernization policy, introduced by the president, Mr. Spender writes, nobody dreams of reflecting on or questioning Mustapha Kemal's decrees or of doubting his greatness or wisdom in this or any other matter.

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Schubert Club Recital, Memorial Hall, Tuesday, January 12, 8:15 p.m. Mrs. F. X. Hodgson, contralto, of Vancouver, assisting. Associate season tickets, $3.00. Single admission 75c, at Fletcher Bros.

Y.M.C.A. Auxiliary Lecture, Tuesday, January 12, 8:30 p.m., Metropolitan Institute. Lecturer, Mr. B.C. Nicholas; subject, "How to Debate." Admission 25c.

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THIS WEEK
Marion Davies
In Her Latest Triumph
"Lights of Old Broadway"
—ALSO—
DOMINION COMEDY AND DOMINION NEWS

COLISEUM
MATINEE TODAY
The Coliseum Company in the Pantomime Success
Sinbad the Sailor
The Screen
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At the Playhouses

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—Reginald Denny in "California Straight Ahead."

Columbia—"The Fighting Demon," with Richard Talmadge.

Dominion—Marion Davies in "Lights of Old Broadway."

Playhouse—"The Man on the Box," starring Syd. Chaplin.

The Stage

Coliseum—"Sinbad the Sailor."

Royal—"Too Many Husbands."

COLUMBIA THEATRE With the romantic backgrounds of South America and an ocean liner against which to project virile, thrilling melodrama, and with the picture, Richard Talmadge's latest F. B. O. starring vehicle, "The Fighting Demon," will be seen for the last time today at the Columbia Theatre. The "Stunt King," as he has been aptly called, is at his best in this production, which gives him every conceivable opportunity to run through a repertoire of tricks, leaps, and "follow-the-leader" antics.

ROYAL THEATRE In "Too Many Husbands," at the Royal Theatre, Cameron Matthews, Harry Jones, Ruth Taylor, Nella Jefferis, Dennis O'Brien, Lambert Larking and the others of this excellent company are all scoring in the characterizations, the playwright having given them ample material upon which to extend their talents as provokers of hearty laughter. Theatregoers will be interested to learn that Mr. Matthews and his company have been specially held over for another three days, and will present next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday "Three Live Ghosts."

DOMINION THEATRE Frank Currier, who plays the role of Marion Davies' father in "Lights of Old Broadway," to the Dominion Theatre, was the pilot of Hollindr's first submarine. On the maiden trip Currier stuck the nose of the sub into a mud bank off Bayonnes, N.J., and after freeing the craft brought it to the surface in what was regarded a successful test. He has never been in a submarine since, and says he will never enter one.

CAPITOL THEATRE He was a rich young man, engaged to be married, who wrecked his marital plans by indulging too heavily in the flowing bowl and crashing in an airplane on the eve of his wedding. So he took the "honeymoon trailer" he had built in which to drive his new wife to California on a trip by himself. That is the start of "California Straight Ahead," Universal-Jewel comedy starring Reginald Denny, now at the Capitol Theatre.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE If you laughed with glee when you saw Syd Chaplin in "Charley's Aunt," you'll howl yourself into hysterics in "The Man on the Box," which is showing this week at the Playhouse, with Syd Chaplin scoring a tremendous hit in his first starring role for Warners. Involved in a series of romantic adventures and in political intrigue, Syd is wildly amusing; but as the flirtatious ladies' maid he is simply a riot. His crowds are laughing themselves hoarse at the funniest picture seen in Victoria for a long time.

COLISEUM THEATRE Tonight is the last opportunity offered Coliseum audiences to see the great pantomime, "Sinbad the Sailor." Even after a second week, audiences are calling for another repetition. With Sinbad on the boards and the film sensation "This Woman" on the screen, the show this week is one of outstanding merit.

Opera Will Be Heard in English

Canadian-American Singers Will Appear Under Directorship of Vladimir Rosing

There has been a demand always from a great majority of the musical public in Anglo-Saxon countries for opera to be sung in English that the musical drama may be folowed with understanding when presented by the singers. Now comes to Western Canada an ensemble of Canadian-American opera singers who, under the directorship of Vladimir Rosing, will present to Victoria audiences a repertoire, including Cavalleria Rusticana, Pagliacci and Faust. And they will be sung in English, and, if reports speak true, so clear is the diction of these singers and so vivid their acting it is a delight to listen to the unfolding of the operas which sparkle with new life and unaccustomed vitality, charm and originality. The singers who will appear here with Rosing, who takes the leading tenor roles at every performance are from the Rochester-American Opera Company, and have been appearing in principal roles for the last two seasons in that clever aggregation to which Eugene Goessens has acted as musical director-in-chief and Rosing as general producer. On the forthcoming Canadian tour the musical director will be Emanuel Balaban, who was for two years assistant coach of the Dresden Opera in Germany, director of the Leipsic Philarmonic, and the Dresden Symphony and Philarmonic, and in America toured as accompanist to Mischa Elman and Zimbalist. Undoubtedly Victoria may anticipate a musical feast in the way of beautiful voices, and that the Royal Victoria will be filled to capacity at each of the two performances, commencing on Thursday, January 14.

Lecture on Geology Interests Members of Prospectors' Society

The Rev. Robert Connell, in a most interesting lecture on geology before the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association, last night said that a great increase in heat occurred at comparatively short distances below the earth's surface. At twenty miles depth the heat was estimated to be so great that the rocks would be in a molten condition were it not for the great pressure to which they were subjected.

Mr. Connell showed interesting specimens from the neighborhood of Victoria, such as rocks in which the crystals looked like fossil flowers, and others containing red-dish bands which were in fact millions of minute garnets. The backbone of Vancouver Island, said the lecturer, was a granitic mass, and it was from these granitic masses that the superheated waters, highly mineralized, had been derived which formed eventually ore bodies, where conditions were favorable.

The chairman, Mr. Goiby, announced that Dean Brock, of the University of British Columbia, would give an address in the near future on the "Physical Features of British Columbia," illustrated with lantern slides. The lecture will be free.

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"A picture which could not have been staged for ten millions," is one description of the official Admiralty film depicting the Prince of Wales' 30,000-mile tour to the heart of Africa and South America. The Prince's film will have its first showing in Victoria on Monday, January 18, at the Capitol Theatre, under the official auspices of the Daughters of the Empire. The royal tour will be one of the most notable educational and patriotic events of the season, as well as one of the most entertaining films through its merit as a picture of many spectacles.

Trial of Ottawa Murderer

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—Napoleon Pelletier, twenty-two-year-old farmhand and lumberjack of Manotick Station, who is alleged, according to a confession in the hands of the police, to have brutally murdered Miss Mary Kilfoyle, aged eighty-three, at her log cabin home near Manotick on Wednesday afternoon, will be placed on trial for his life in the county courthouse here on January 14. Miss Kilfoyle was found by neighbors late yesterday afternoon with her head battered by several blows from an axe. She died after without regaining consciousness.

Conacher's Nose Broken

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—Lionel Conacher, Pittsburgh professional hockey defence player, was operated on at the Royal Victoria Hospital last night for a broken nose. The former Toronto rugby star received the injury in the Montreal-Pittsburgh game here recently. The nose was found to be fractured in three places.

Wethered Beat Tolley

RYE, Eng., Jan. 8.—Roger Wethered and Cyril Tolley, both former British amateur golf champions, met in the second round of the Oxford and Cambridge annual tournament here today. Wethered beat Tolley seven and six.

A new call has been heard from Wichita, Kansas, recently. The letters KFH have taken the place of WEAH. The 500-watt station at Cedar Points, Iowa, originally WKAA, now uses the call letters KWCR. The Haverford College Radio Club station, WABQ of Haverford, Pa., goes on the air this month with a new 750-watt equipmen'

Attend Disarmament Conference



VISCOUNT CECIL



FOREIGN MINISTER BENES

Viscount Cecil will represent Great Britain at the meeting, February 15, of the preparatory commission that will discuss a general disarmament conference. Foreign Minister Benes, of Uzecho-Slovakia, who formulated the arbitration and security protocol of the League last year, also will attend.

Substitute's Discovery Will End Horror of Drug Traffic

The importation of cocaine and the attendant horrors of drug addiction, a source of so much trouble to the authorities, may soon be stopped by its total prohibition. Dr. W. E. Dixon, F.R.S., and Sir W. J. Pope, F.R.S., record a wonderful discovery in The Daily Mail. They jointly state:

"In medical and surgical practice cocaine finds two broad uses. First, the hypodermic injection of cocaine, hydrochloride produces local anaesthesia. Advantage has been taken of this property for the painless extraction of teeth and for other minor operations.

"During late years, however, numerous artificial local anaesthetics have been introduced and some of these, while devoid of the habit-inducing properties of cocaine, are quite efficient substitutes for cocaine as an anaesthetic for hypodermic injection in minor operations.

"The second use is explained by the fact that when water solutions of a cocaine salt are applied to a mucous surface, such as that of the eye or the nasal cavities, complete insensibility of the surface results. In this condition the patient can undergo surgical operations of some severity without feeling the knife.

Hindrance to Surgery

"Until recently no artificial or synthetic drug had been produced which satisfactorily replaced cocaine as a local surface anaesthetic. Cocaine has been thus essential to the work of the ophthalmic surgeon, and the restrictions placed upon its distribution by the Dangerous Drugs Act have been a hindrance to surgery.

"A purely scientific problem will be seen emerging from the difference in local anaesthetic action of cocaine salts and of the synthetic substances for cocaine. This consists in determining why, since both are efficient on hypodermic injection, the cocaine salts alone act as satisfactory local surface anaesthetics.

"We proposed this problem to Messrs. A. J. Copeland and H. E. F. Notton, research workers in our laboratories at Cambridge, and, thanks to their efforts, the reason for the inactivity of the cocaine substitutes as local surface anaesthetics has been discovered. Further, a class of cocaine substitutes, the so-called borocaines, has been discovered which seems destined entirely to replace cocaine as surface anaesthetics as well as for injection.

"In the end it was discovered that the surface anaesthetic effect of cocaine or its substitutes depends upon the nature of the acid with which the alkaloid is combined in the salt used.

Cocaine Substitutes

"Thus, taking the surface anaesthetic effect of cocaine hydrochloride as one, that of an equivalent quantity of cocaine borate is found to be about four. Measured on the same scale, the hydrochlorides of two well-known cocaine substitutes, beta-eucaine and ethocaine, are almost without surface anaesthetic action; the surface anaesthetic action of beta-eucaine borate is, however, about ten and that of ethacaine borate about one.

"In view of its freedom from toxic, irritating, or habit-forming properties, ethocaine borate will probably entirely replace cocaine hydrochloride for injection purposes in minor surgery; by reason of their powerful surface anaesthetic effect, beta-eucaine borate and ethocaine borate seem destined to replace cocaine hydrochloride in opthalmic and nasal surgery.

"Since the borates of cocaine and its substitutes exert this remarkable specific activity as surface anaesthetics, the generic name of 'borocaines' has been given to them. These borocaines seem to pave the way for legislation entirely prohibiting the importation of cocaine and so minimizing cocaine addiction.

"The drug addict is not a police case; he can only be cured by prolonged medical attention and by the withholding of supplies. We hope and expect that the work of Copeland and Notton will provide justification for further legislative restrictions on the traffic in cocaine."

Defective Children

Of 1,766,325 children inspected by school dentists in 1924, 1,187,335, or 67 per cent, were found to require immediate treatment. Of these, 654,365, or 55 per cent, were actually treated. Progress is to be found in the provision made for the various types of defective children. The accommodation available is now 43,361 places, a net increase of 2,010 places compared with last year's figures. But as the total number of children suffering from mental or physical defect reaches at least 108,369, it is still far from adequate.—Times Educational Supplement.

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Tige in the Laundry Bag

In Our Dumb Animals there is a story of an Oregon City dog which you will like to read:

Tige has formed the habit of seeking the laundry bag for a sleeping place. The other day the laundryman went to make his usual morning collection. He picked up the laundry, which was tied up in a sheet, threw the big bundle over his shoulder, sent to the delivery wagon, dumped it into the wagon, and started for the laundry. Again picking up the sheet and its contents, he started for the sorting room. The bundle seemed quite heavy, the laundryman had noticed this, and he dropped it on the floor with a sigh of relief.

As the bundle struck the floor, out popped the head of a pug-nosed dog with big brown eyes and ears that stood alert. The dog was not at all excited. He wagged what little tail he had, and pulled himself out good-naturedly. The laundryman made a special delivery of the dog to the Price Brother's store. Tige wagged his tail, glad to be back home again, and contentedly started to hunt for another laundry bag in order to finish his interrupted nap.

"Woman Saved by Radio" is the headline in Canadian newspapers which recently caught the public eye. The woman, living far from civilization, in Canada's northland, had fallen seriously ill. The priest of the small community, unable to cope with the case himself, hurried to Edmonton, Alberta. There a doctor was procured and told the symptoms as found by the priest. The method of treatment was broadcast through a local station. The message was picked up by two receivers in the wilderness where the woman lay near death's door. The doctor's instructions were followed and the patient is reported to be recovering rapidly.

Movie fans all over the United States within range of WitZ's signals are having sport in tuning in the series of motion picture talks being broadcast through the Westinghouse New England station by George M. A. Fecke, president of the Motion Picture Corporation and a well-known expert. Mr. Fecke tells how pictures are made and produced, together with describing "on location" work.

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Young People's Dance

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cameron, 1085 Moss Street, entertained with a small dance last evening in honor of their son, George Cameron, who will be returning to Shawnigan School next week after spending the holidays with his parents. The reception rooms looked very festive with their gay Christmas decorations, red candles and flowers and evergreen. Dancing was from eight to twelve, supper being served about 10:30. Among the guests were the Misses Dorothy Elliott, Edith Shandley, Gwennie Watkins, Trudie Green, Veida Rithet, Dailia Homer-Dixon, Mary and Adele Bucklin, Helen Campbell, Kathleen Hall, Marian McMicking, and Lewis Brown, John Richardson, Bruce McMicking, Harry Lake, Phil Hadden, Mervin Caverhill, Jack Mercer, Douglas Green and Malcolm and Wilson Billingsley.

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Hustlers Club

The Hustlers Club of the Victoria City Temple held an enthusiastic meeting in the K. of P. Hall, on Thursday evening. An address was given by Mr. Roy C. Hebden, the mentor, his subject being, "Is Education Worth While?" During his remarks Mr. Hebden referred favorably to an able address given recently by Premier Baldwin to the students of Edinburgh University. Mr. Hebden emphasized the need today was for thinking men and women. During the business period that followed it was decided to repeat the annual "Kill the Blue Concert," which has proven so successful in the past. The director announced that the concert would be presented about March 5. The meeting was well attended.

Delightful Evening

A delightful evening was spent on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beadle, 102 Niagara Street, the occasion being the birthday of Mrs. Beadle. The evening was spent in cards and dancing. The prize winners were: Mrs. Shand, Mrs. Ball, Mrs. Rodgers, Mr. Rodgers, Mrs. Latham, Mr. Ward. Among the invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Latham, Mr. and Mrs. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Rowan, Mr. and Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Dalby, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. White, Mrs. Prewatt, Mrs. Thames, Miss M. Hunter, Mr. John Kennedy, Mr. Hugh Ballantyne and Mr. Robert Ballantyne. The hostess was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

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Criterion Dance Club

The Criterion Dance Club (Murray Studio of Dancing), held another of its jolly dances last night in the Amputation Club Rooms, with a large number present who danced to the strains of Hunt's orchestra. Among those noticed were Mr. and Mrs. Lytton Mara, Mr. and Mrs. Hepburn, Mr. and Mrs. Scharff, Mrs. H. J. S. Muskett, Mrs. Kennedy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Bodkin (Sidney), Mr. and Mrs. Umbach, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Maunsell, Miss Farrington, Messrs. Van der Byl, J. Bridgman, Murray, Nicholson, Jack Hessonette, and many others.

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Arrived on Aorangi

Among the passengers who arrived here on the Aorangi was Mr. W. O. E. Fielding Jones, special correspondent for The Sydney Sunday Sun. Mr. Fielding Jones is en route to Damascus, where he will collect material for a series of articles on the Syrian trouble, later going to Constantinople. In Egypt Mr. Fielding Jones hopes to interview Zagloul Pasha, and other notable figures. He brought word here that Mr. Pat Sullivan, famous cartoonist and creator of the popular Felix the Cat, left the Aorangi at Honolulu after visiting his father in Australia.

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Surprise Party

On Tuesday evening a New Year surprise visit was made by a number of friends to the home of Miss Doris Pedder, 1522 Camosun Street. Those present were: Miss Evelyn Hudson, Miss Helen Burton, Miss Mary Crow, Miss Lila Dennstedt, Miss Clara Bradshaw, Miss Edna Yeadon, Miss Rosa Yeadon, Jack Hawkes, Reg. Hammond, Dick Holman, Kenneth Jennings, Maurice Mallett, Bert Yeadon, Ashfield Walker.

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Victorian Order of Nurses

The annual meeting of the Local Board of the Victorian Order of Nurses will be held, by the kindness of Mrs. Schofield, at Bishop's Close, Vancouver Street, on Tuesday, January 12, at three p.m. All interested in the good work of the Order are cordially invited to be present. The regular monthly meeting will be held at the same place at 2:30 p.m.

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Bridge Party

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kerr, Gladstone Avenue, gave an enjoyable bridge party on Thursday evening, those present including Major and Mrs. Maxwell, Dr. and Mrs. Pearse, Mrs. Longstaffe, Mrs. Wheatley, Mrs. Mosher, Mrs. Roberts, Miss Cowell, Miss Fraser, Mr. J. Bridgman, Col. Harrison, Mr. Symons, Mr. B. Wood and Mr. Macbeth.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. F. W. Hartley, Monterey Avenue, entertained at bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Arnold, of Winnipeg. Her guests included Mrs. Jack Rithet, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Hargrave, Mrs. Billings, Mrs. W. Watson, Mrs. Hunter.

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Recovering From Operation

His Honor Judge Lampman, who is at present a patient in the Jubilee Hospital, where he underwent an operation recently, is reported to be making satisfactory progress.

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Here From Saskatchewan

Mrs. Thomas E. Bell, 2148 Pentland Road, Oak Bay, has as her guest, her sister, Mrs. Andrew Gray, of Creelman, Saskatchewan, and her daughter, Doris.

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Bridge Party

Miss Mona Miller, McClure Street, entertained yesterday afternoon with three tables of bridge.

Children's Aid Home Receives Donations

The matron and officers of the Children's Aid Home, Pandora Avenue, are anxious to thank the many donors who so generously helped to make Christmas a time of cheer and jollity for the little inmates. The Home is intended to provide a refuge for deserted and neglected children, and in work of this nature it is not suitable for a great deal of publicity and advertising.

There are at present thirty-four children in the Home, fourteen girls and twenty boys, ranging in age from two to sixteen years. The greatest problem is that of finding employment for the boys after they leave school. The children have, in their matron, a kind and sympathetic friend, and one whom they love and respect.

The Christmas tree party this year was a great success, and following is a list of donations which the Home acknowledges with grateful thanks: Cakes from the Elks Club, George Jay School, First Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Peden, Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., Mrs. Shields, Queen City Chapter, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Ward, Christ Church Cathedral and Women's Canadian Club; toys, Mrs. Crawly; decorations, Mrs. Cassidy; fruit, Rupert Bainbridge; candies, Mrs. Bishop; candies, Sunshine Club; fruit, Mr. Thorsen; fruit, Mrs. J. W. Robertson; cheque, Mrs. A. T. Goward; candies, Ormonds, Ltd.; parcel for each child, Girls of B.C. Telephone Company; Christmas stockings and candies, Miss Dola Dunsmuir; fruit, Mrs. Scott; decorations, Mrs. Beckwith; fruit, Native Daughters; presents, Mrs. Pinkerton; cheque, Mr. F. M. Sterry; tickets for pantomime, Mr. Joe North; apples, Mrs. Saunby; stockings for each child, O.E.S.; fruit, Mrs. Whitley, Daily Colonist; nightgowns for girls, Bishop Cridge Chapter; Gyro Club, for sending its orchestra to the Christmas party.

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Sailors' Guild Holds Its Monthly Meeting

The Ladies' Guild for Sailors held their January meeting on Thursday afternoon in the Connaught Institute, Superior Street. Mrs. Alice Thomson, the president, presiding. Mrs. Sayer, secretary, and Mrs. Gordon Smith, treasurer, gave their reports which were most satisfactory.

During the Christmas season Mrs. Sayer and Miss Pooley visited the hospital and distributed, on behalf of the Guild, woolens, smokes, biscuits, etc., to every sailor patient.

It was explained by Mrs. Thomson, in reply to a question asked by Miss Pooley, that seafaring men may obtain a bath and bed at the moderate sum of twenty-five cents, and meals may also be arranged for at the Institute. Mrs. Moore, former wool convener, sent Christmas greetings and a letter from one of the lighthouses to which magazines had been sent. A special box had been packed for the crew of the Behring, which carries supplies to the lighthouses, also a family of four children had been remembered. Coal was sent to three families and Christmas cheer to four other families. Seven sailors dined at the Connaught Institute on Christmas Day. Open house was kept all day and seventy men availed themselves of the privileges of the Institute. Mrs. Smith thoughtfully provided a great number of mince pies which were taken back to the ships by the sailors who arrived a day late.

During the year 925 men were received at the Connaught Seamen's Institute. The Lady Douglas Chapter and the Navy League Chapter generously contributed smokes for which they were warmly thanked, and a substantial donation from the First Church of Christ Scientist was also duly acknowledged. Mr. E. V. Thomson presented two boxes of apples. Kind contributions from the people of Victoria made it possible to carry out all Christmas obligations and to face the New Year with courage.

The resignation of Mrs. Bunbury, convener of the wool committee, was received with general regret. She leaves on hand a large supply of woolens and will be succeeded by Mrs. Goodlake.

Delegates to the annual convention of the Council of Women were appointed in the persons of Mrs. Sayer and Mrs. L. V. Thomson.

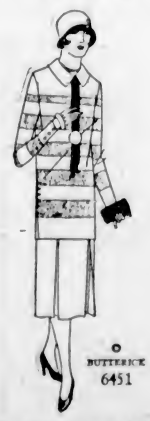
The annual bridge and tea at St. Mary's Hall, which will take place at a date to be arranged before Lent, was discussed, and reference was also made to the annual tag day.

The meeting dispersed after the serving of afternoon tea.

Milk bottle makers have to be careful of the glass used, as certain tints in the glass, such as green, make the milk look unpalatable.

Fashions and Foibles

By Shirley Sharon



BUTTERICK 6451

A new way to wear your border is in the blouse-like upper part of a frock that has the effect of a two-piece dress.

Borders this season are often in our midst. That is, instead of placing them at the hem of a frock, the plain material appears below and the border above. In the dress illustrated, the border is used for the characteristic long, close sleeve of the year and for the upper part which might be taken for the new long blouse. It can also be made of half-and-half materials and crosswise designs with the plaited lower part matching it in a plain material. It is a smart style for either silk or wool.

Friendly Help Report Issued

Two Hundred People Assisted at Christmas in Co-operation With Organizations

The regular monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association was held on Tuesday morning at the rooms, Mrs. Wm. Grant presiding. There were ten members present, including Alderman Harvey, who represented the City Council.

In discussing the Christmas work it was reported that the association this year co-operated with the various other organizations of the city, with the gratifying result that about 200 people were the happy recipients of Christmas hampers, roasts of beef, toys, etc. Sincere appreciation was expressed and votes of thanks were passed to the Boy Scouts of St. Mary's, James Bay and Fairfield, for their invaluable help in delivering hampers from the rooms; also to those ladies who so kindly loaned their cars for distributing. Very grateful thanks were also expressed to P. Burns & Co., who so handsomely donated about 1,500 pounds of beef.

Grateful letters of thanks were read from several of the recipients of the Christmas hampers, also from a few of the parents of the 450 children who participated in the Rotary Christmas tree. The public school childrens' gifts, as usual, included a lovely assortment of useful and Christmassy things, which were most gratefully received and helped very materially in filling up the hampers. Another handsome donation reported was the $100 from Stocker's Night Birds, which was subscribed by radio.

During the month of December, apart from the Christmas hampers, there were 175 families, representing 613 persons, assisted. Of these ninety-three received groceries, forty-seven milk daily, forty-six meat, forty-five had fuel, many of them also receiving clothing, jam, apples, etc., from the rooms.

Meadames Hanby, Pilgrim, Cullum and Radbourne were appointed delegates to the annual meeting of the Women's Council to be held in February.

Just now there is a great demand for bedding and any gifts along this line will be most gratefully received at the rooms, Market Building.

It was announced that the annual meeting of the association would be held on Tuesday, January 26.

Your Birthday

January 9.—The person born on this day possesses a frank, energetic, kind nature. He or she achieves their highest success in life by keeping their thoughts fixed steadily on that sterling maxim, "Be the master of your own success." January 9 folks are home-lovers, and will be happy in their marriage.

Your birthstone is a garnet, which means faithfulness.

Your flower is a snowdrop.

Your lucky colors are navy blue and black.

Historical Body Seeks Correction

Birthday Should Date From Formation of Colony of Vancouver Island

That the birthday anniversary of British Columbia should be dated from the organization of the Colony of Vancouver Island in 1849, and not from the union of the colony with British Columbia in 1866, was the substance of a motion which was introduced to the B.C. Historical Association last evening by Mr. Justice Martin.

He placed the subject matter in a resolution, which was seconded by Mr. C. C. Pemberton. It was referred to the educational committee, to advise what further steps should be taken in the matter.

B.C. Birthday Misunderstood

The resolution was in part as follows:

"Whereas during the past year (1925) there was celebrated in certain quarters an important historic incident that occurred at Fort Langley, B.C., on the nineteenth day of November, 1858, which was in said celebrations mistakenly described as the 'sixty-seventh birthday of British Columbia.'

"And whereas it is desirable that the true history of our Province should be known and duly commemorated:

"That in the year 1849 the Crown Colony of Vancouver Island was established by the passing of the Imperial Statute of that year."

Claims Event Was Earlier

Mr. Justice Martin therefore pointed out that the Union of the two Colonies, Vancouver Island and British Columbia into the one Colony of British Columbia in the year 1866 could not rightly be considered the founding of British Columbia, any more than the foundation of a business firm was counted as the time when the junior partner was accepted, but must be dated at the time the business was first established.

Thus the establishment of the Crown Colony, being the senior event, must be regarded as the foundation of British Columbia, and the year 1849 as the birthday of this Province.

Judge Refuses to Give Seized Liquor Stocks To Prairie Commission

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8.—Charging laxity and negligence on the part of the Manitoba Liquor Control Commission, Judge D. A. Starpoole today declined to let the government retain $3,300 worth of liquor previously seized.

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Yesterday's maximum and minimum temperatures here were respectively 42 and 39, according to the thermometer at Gonzales Observatory, although the lowest ground temperature at the same spot was 36. Vancouver's minimum temperature yesterday was 32, just freezing point, and there was fog. At Prince Rupert the maximum temperature yesterday was 54; in the Okanagan there was a little touch of frost; in the Kootenay it was between 10 and 12 below. The maximum temperature in the Prairie provinces yesterday was 32, although all parts of the Prairies report exceptionally mild weather for the season.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont



Almost like a frock in its simplicity is the white negligee sketched above.

The material is heavy crepe, and the only trimming touch appears in the form of field flowers in their natural colors, embroidered over the upper part.

The wide girdle ties in front. The length is short, as both negligee and nightgowns follow the lead of the new frocks as to skirt length.

Charting of Coast Told in Lecture

Mr. H. D. Parizeau Gives Interesting Address on Hydrographic Survey

The monthly meeting of the B.C. Historical Association was held last night in the Archives Department of the Parliament Buildings, when the main topic was that of hydrographic survey on the northwest coast of North America as explained by Mr. H. D. Parizeau, of the Hydrographic Survey Department of the Naval Service.

Mr. Parizeau Lectures

A detailed account of the exploration and development of the northwest coast of this Continent was given by Mr. Parizeau, whose address terminated with the lantern projection of illustrative maps and photographs. Having traced the history of explorations dating from the sixteenth century when Sir Francis Drake made the first definite discoveries as far as San Francisco, up to the present time, when hydrographic survey is a highly developed science for the purpose of giving to navigators every possible assistance. Mr. Parizeau gave an interesting description of the manner in which this valuable work was carried out.

Mr. Beaumont Boggs presided in the absence of His Honor Judge Howay, the president.

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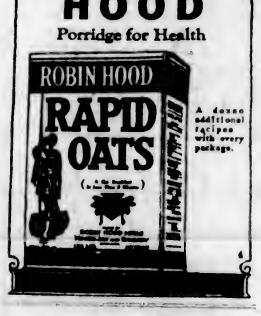


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Quarterly Meeting Of League Is Held

Social Service Organization Reports Satisfactory Progress During Three Months

The quarterly meeting of the Social Service League was held yesterday afternoon in the League headquarters, Arcade Building. Mrs. Schofield, the second vice-president, occupied the chair for the first part of the meeting, the president, the Dean of Columbia arriving later.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Osborne, and were adopted. Satisfactory reports were made by the treasurer, Mr. G. R. Chisholm, and Miss Olive Snyder. Miss Snyder gave a most interesting account of the excellent work accomplished by the League during the last three months, and reported that a total of 170 cases had been dealt with. There had been 445 office interviews, 698 visits made, and 1,133 letters sent.

Mr. Fred Landsberg offered suggestions for publicity for the League, which met with approval.

A delegation from the Social Service League is planning to visit the Mental Hospital at Essondale on January 22.

Miss Snyder also reported that it is the intention here to arrange a survey of all the local organizations, though details of the plans have not been decided upon as yet.

Britain to Ask Italy For Annual Payment On Account of Debt

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Britain will ask Italy, at the negotiations opening here Monday, to pay seven million sterling annually on her war debt of £500,000,000. Such terms would be proportionate with the tentative agreement between Britain and France under which France is to pay £12,500,000 annually for sixty-two years. The British declare they are faced with budget deficits and that it is necessary to ask their debtors to pay an amount which will allow keeping the budget as its level.

Country Dances in England Are Regaining Their Old Popularity

Great All-England Folk Dance Festival Ushers in New Year in Grand Hall of London University—Thousands Learn New Steps

LONDON, Jan. 9.—There has been a sudden country-wide revival of the old English country dances, and a great all-England folk dance festival ushered in the New Year in the grand hall of London University in South Kensington.

The revival is bringing the Morry dance and the sword dance into their own again, says a report by the English Folk Dance Society, which asserts these dances are being taken up with enthusiasm by tens of thousands of young people throughout England. The society is compelled to refuse hundreds of applications from would-be learners because of its liability to obtain enough ballroom space.

Women are taking up sword dancing enthusiastically, many with the purpose of teaching it to Boy Scouts, Girl Guides and members of similar organizations.

Makes Him Shudder

The Earl of Bathurst, who at sixty-one still follows the hounds, likes jazz and many other modern things, recently delivered himself of the opinion that in dress women have gone altogether too far. He admits he may be somewhat old-fashioned, but at that he does not think women have changed much for the better.

"My advice to girls is to avoid the vanity bag," said Lord Bathurst when presenting prizes at a Cirencester school. The colored hose and the short skirts girls are wearing made him shudder, declared the peer, who said he much preferred the old-fashioned high boots and gaiters.

However, Lord Bathurst said, he quite agreed with the modern tendency for women to participate in sports more and more, and declared that a young wife should interest herself in football, cricket and other games so as to be able to converse with her husband and keep him at home nights.

Hunters to Use Cars

Many of the big game hunters who are going from England to Africa this Winter will use motor cars to hunt in the deserts and along the edges of the jungles.

Among the first to leave for the season's sport were Sir John and Lady Harrington, who will jump off from Khartoum for an expedition in the wilds of the White Nile country. Sir John knows the Sudan well, as does Lady Harrington, who was formerly Miss Amy MacMillan, an heiress of Detroit.

Sir John was the first Englishman to travel in Abyssinia by way of Khartoum. He became British Minister to the court of Ethiopia and a little later was knighted by King Edward VII.

Scant Clothes Hit Trade

The pronounced reduction in the amount of clothing that women wear today is nothing less than a tragedy for English manufacturers of worsteds, who frankly admit, in their pleas to Parliament for protective tariffs, that the new styles have meant serious loss for them.

But, it is not the new women's styles alone that cause hardship for the makers of fabrics. Houses also are going "decollette," Summer and Winter, in contrast to the heavily curtained and draped homes of the Victorian age. Ponderous draperies are passing. There are not nearly so many stuffed chairs and sofas. With their long skirts, women are abandoning also dust-catching fabrics of all kinds in the home and thus are simplifying housekeeping.

Nor are men wearing as many worsteds as formerly, the manufacturers complain. There are no more shawls for old men, for men, imitating women, refuse to get old. In many ways this age uses fewer cloths than its predecessors. Formal entertaining is less general. People go to their theatre in business clothes, and even refuse to dress for dinner.

Flyers to Dance

The women members of London's new light airplane club have decided that their enthusiasm for flying is not to interfere with their interest in dancing. With this end in view the first social function in connection with the recently organized club is an inaugural dance during the holidays at the Suffolk Galleries.

Mrs. Sophie Elliot Lynn, the first woman member to gain her licence and an enthusiastic disciple of civil aviation for both sexes, is the organizer of the party. Sir Philip Sassoon, M.P., is the patron, and profits will be devoted to furnishings for the pioneer aero clubhouse of England.

Economy Practiced

British cavalry officers have been trembling in their boots because of an economy wave which has swept through the War Department.

Spurs have been toned down a bit in their shines and polish, but their jingle has not been interfered with.

The nickel stirrups of which the cavalrymen have been so proud are being replaced by iron stirrups, which are cheaper, and the officers' spurs to be handed out by the department are to be a steel substitute which will still shine, but not cost the Government so much money.

Publicity Aids Prairie Travel

No Slackening Yet in Number of Tourist Arrivals From Three Provinces

Many prairie people continue to arrive here. The publicity concerning this city and island being carried in the newspapers of the three provinces is regarded as one of the important factors in encouraging the movement.

At the Dominion Hotel yesterday's arrivals include Mr. and Mrs. E. Kelly, of Naseby, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Adair, Mr. Wallace Stone, of Winnipeg, and Mr. A. Melville, of Winnipeg.

Mr. F. A. Walker, of Edmonton, and Mr. J. A. Frawley, of Edmonton, are registered at the Empress Hotel.

Prairie arrivals at the Strathcona Hotel include Mr. John J. Guich, of Chamberlain, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Russell, of Edmonton, and Mr. Charles Lommer, of Landis, Sask.

Pioneer in Weyburn

Weyburn, Sask.—The funeral of Mr. George Monteith, who passed away very suddenly, following an attack of heart failure, was held from Knox Presbyterian Church, and interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery. Rev. G. Glover, pastor of the church, conducted the service. The pallbearers were: Dr. Easlesham, Messrs L. Gilchrist, H. McGowan, W. Waites, Frank Heard, Ernie Stewart. The flower bearers were: Messrs S. Ferguson, James Broley, S. Taite and Roy Shultz.

He had been driving on the day of his death, and shortly after returning to his home, on Fifth Street, he passed away very suddenly. He was a pioneer of the Weyburn district, having spent the past twenty-five years here.

Poultry Show

Red Deer.—Red Deer's annual Winter poultry show will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, January 12-14. Six silver cups, 40 specials, and a good list of prizes on the regular list, make up an attractive list of awards. J. J. Richards, Jr., won the Red Deer Advocate cup last year, and will try to hold it permanently by winning again this year. Utility breeds are specially catered to.

Winter Season In Peace

Winnipeg—For the first time since 1892, according to all available records, the ice went out of the Peace River and the Smoky River December 9 and 10, Mr. J. A. Macgregor, general manager of the E.D. and B.C. Railway, said at the Royal Alexandra Hotel. Mr. Macgregor is down to confer with Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the railway.

There had been teaming across the Peace at Dunvegan just before the thaw, December 9 and 10, Mr. Macgregor said.

About 2,250,000 bushels of grain had been shipped out of the Peace River country. This is about half of the crop. The mild weather had been favorable for teaming, except in the districts far back from the railways, where the roads had been too soft.

Mr. Macgregor expected a large movement of settlers to the Peace River district in the Spring, largely from the United States and Europe.

Model Ranch

Calgary. — Several months of painstaking work has resulted in the building of a model of an Alberta ranch house, stables, corrals and yards, which will be used as a section of the decorations for the tables at the banquet of the Southern Alberta Pioneers' and Oldtimers' Association, to be held in the Palliser Hotel on the evening of January 21. The work, which is correct in the smallest detail, has been executed by Mr. Andrew Anderson, a prominent rancher in the McPherson Coulee district, between Airdrie and Crossfield.

The bungalow, which is constructed of miniature logs, is particularly perfect in workmanship, the corners of the logs being joined in the well-known oldtime fashion. The tiny house is roofed with sods. The barn contains a democrat shed, characteristic of all the oldtime ranches, and all the gates about the place, which includes the usual horse-breaking chutes and runways are constructed to scale and in perfect working order. When assembled, the miniature covers an area of table space about three feet wide and four feet long.

British Settlers

Calgary. — Approximately eighty families, numbering some 350 souls, were placed on farms in Southern Alberta during 1924 under the 2,000-families scheme, according to a report just issued by Mr. W. S. Woods, superintendent of the Land Settlement Board.

This is the plan which embraces an arrangement whereby the British Government advances the necessary funds to settlers for the purchase of stock and equipment, and the Canadian Government places the families on properties which are in its hands. No properties have been purchased in Alberta for this purpose, the settlement having been confined properties which are in its hands.

Little Girl (watching painter in art museum copying a masterpiece): "Will you please give me the old one when your new one is finished?"

Ottawa Airman Is Decorated in Paris



In the above photograph, General Gouraud, the military governor of Paris, is seen pinning the Cross of the Chevalier of the Legion or Honor on the uniform of Major Sussan, the Ottawa airman, who fought with the American escadrille on the French side in Morocco. Others in the group of aviators are Major Granville Pollock, Captain Cousins, Colonel Kirkwood and Colonel Sparks.

Afraid of Love

By CHRISTABEL RUSSELL

A Strange Personality

"What do you think of Graham?" Paul asked her when next they were alone together. He was eager to find out the impression his friend had made upon her.

Vayne had frightened her, that was the truth. And yet she had liked him. His strange self-possession and detachment were reassuring, although they made her feel at the next moment inexperienced and gauche. One felt that he would make no mistake; that he knew just what and how much to say.

"Yes, I like him," she admitted. "I understand now why you call him 'the Hunter!' I should think that he could get most things that he wanted."

"Women generally like him," Paul went on. He did not add that in the past he had often envied Vayne that ability to attract.

"Does that mean that I must like him for the same reason? Believe me, I'm not bowled over by his great beauty or his great wealth or—well, by anything that I could explain. He's rather a mystery. I wonder what it is that's so attractive about him?"

Attracted she was by him—and repelled, too. One moment she would find him most charming, the next, by a word or a glance, he would dispel the illusion of charm.

She saw a good deal of Graham Vayne in the weeks which followed. Toni et Cie was now in full swing. The Autumn models from Paris and Meryl's own inventive brain began to fill the long cupboards with pretty frocks. Mlle. Pigou toiled indefatigably in the workroom. A pretty mannequin was engaged. People began to hear of the little shop in Dover Street. Meryl knew that a great many of the lovely women who came in to see her dresses had come at Vayne's request, and she was grateful.

Sometimes he came to the shop alone, sometimes with a companion. Once, when Meryl had made a wonderful dance frock of the palest cyclamen pink with bunched orchids at the shoulder, he brought a famous musical comedy star, to whom he made a present of the dress on condition that she would wear it on the stage and tell all her friends from whose workroom it came.

The famous lady was not best pleased to be left on her own while the mannequin showed off the beauties of the dress, and Vayne was deep in conversation with the proprietress of the shop, whose lovely hair, the "star" decided, "couldn't be natural."

He was her best customer—and she didn't like it. It was ridiculous that he should come in time and again and buy every frock that she made. She wanted to win customers for herself. She began to suspect that Vayne was doing it to help her.

One evening she determined to have it out with him. He had called at No. 7c just as she was finishing work for the day. Mademoiselle Pigou was hanging away the dresses behind their dustproof covers while Meryl instructed her messenger-girl about a box which had to be delivered that night without fail.

"Come round the corner to the Berkeley and have a cocktail!" he invited.

She nodded a grave acceptance. Here was her opportunity for talking to him!

"Where's Paul got to?" he asked as they left the shuttered shop behind them and turned into Piccadilly, all bright with the gold of sunset.

"He's up in Coventry, at Ormeroyd's works, something to do with his engine. I never see him these days." That was true. It was now September, and he had been in the Midlands for several weeks. She received letters from him now and then, long, boyish letters, in which he was careful to avoid the personal line between them.

"Having It Out" With Vayne

They passed through the doors of the Berkeley and seated themselves in the lounge.

"What's it to be, Mrs. Gould? A Martini?"

"A Bronx, please."

"How's business?"

"It's going wonderfully, Mr. Vayne—thanks to you!"

"Why thanks to me? I should have said, thanks to your clever head!"

"You're my best customer, you know!"

"Well, then, drink up your Bronx to the health of your best customer—and I'll drink to the best dressmaker in London!"

"What nonsense! Best dressmaker! Why, four months ago I stood and cried on the deck of a Union-Castle liner because I had never done a stroke of work in my life and hadn't the least idea how to begin to earn my living!"

"All the more credit to you, Mrs. Gould!"

She would not be headed off.

"I want to talk to you," she said. "You mustn't buy so many of my frocks, Mr. Vayne."

"Well, upon my word!" He threw back his head and laughed. "As a business woman you're unique! I don't think that ever before I have heard anyone forbid their best customer to buy. What's all this, American business methods?"

"I'm quite serious, Mr. Vayne. You're not to laugh at me. I know that you are trying to help me—and I don't understand why."

"Don't you like me to help you?" he countered with a sudden dark look.

"Shall I be quite frank with you?"

"Of course. I adore frankness—women's frankness, I mean."

"Well, then, I don't like you to help me!"

"Why on earth not? Do you dislike me so much, Mrs. Gould, that you won't let me be a customer of Toni et Cie?"

She set down her glass and smiled her reproof at him.

"You know that that's not the reason. Of course, I like you to buy things from me, and I'm very, very grateful for all the customers you have sent me, but—couldn't you buy rather less?"

He held up his hands in astonishment.

"Well, really—?"

"I know how stupid it must sound," she pursued quickly, "but I wonder if you could understand just what it is that makes me ask you that? When I was a little girl my cousins and I used to act plays. We did it in my mother's drawing-room and charged a penny for seats. My grandfather used to want to give us sixpences, but we wouldn't let him. Do you know why that was? It was because we didn't want a penny which we hadn't earned. We felt that it was charity!"

"So you think that I buy your dresses out of charity, eh?"

"Not quite that, but don't you see—"

"I buy clothes from your shop because I'm interested in you, Mrs. Gould. Surely you're not going to forbid me to be that!"

"But I want to feel that people come to me because my clothes are better than others!" she insisted. "I don't want to feel that my business depends upon people's interest in me!"

"I don't think I believed what Paul told me about you until this moment!" he returned.

"What did he tell you?" She felt, suddenly, that he was laughing at her, and it made her angry.

"About your mania for independence! My dear lady, it's becoming a sort of bee in that pretty bonnet of yours! Don't you see that the interdependence of one person on another is the rule all through life?" He paused and looked at her for a moment from under his heavy brows. Her cheeks were flushed with indignation, and little tendrils had crept from beneath her wide straw hat. "But if you like," he concluded, "I'll be a less obtrusive customer."

She felt then how dangerous he was. In no way could you tell what was passing in his mind or what the expression in his deep eyes betokened.

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Though it could be worse—"Josh," said Farmer Wilkins to his son, "I wish, if you don't mind, you'd cut off by yourself instead of with the Summer boarders."

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Courtenay Uses New Postoffice For First Time

Building Is Well Fitted for Services—Great Asset to Growing Community—Ample Accommodation Has Long Been Required

COURTENAY, Jan. 7. — Postal business was transacted for the first time in Courtenay's fine new postoffice, built of brick and stone, last night. On entering the building one felt that an era of progress could be marked by this occasion. Owing to the strangeness of his new surroundings, Postmaster Perrot was naturally somewhat handicapped in the sorting of the mail into the various drawers and boxes, the numbers of all of which it is necessary for the postmaster and his assistant, Miss Margaret Sutherland, to commit to memory. The work last night, however, was accomplished without any inconvenience to the public; and keys for the new boxes were issued between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock.

The Building

The new postoffice stands at the corner of Alice and Isabel Streets on well laid out grounds. The new location of the postoffice will now make it unnecessary for most of the residents of the city to descend the hill or to cross the tracks of the Comox Logging & Railway Co. when mail time arrives, and when the approaches leading to the new building have been improved for pedestrians and vehicular traffic, which will doubtless be taken in hand at once, the citizens of Courtenay will have just cause to be proud of this their first public building, erected by the Federal Government. Courtenay has been desirous of acquiring a better postoffice for a number of years.

History of Effort

As far back as 1913 the sum of $20,000 was appropriated for such a purpose, but the grant was allowed to lapse, owing to the citizens of Courtenay at that time being unable to agree on a building site. After the war the Comox Board of Trade again took up the matter through Mr. A. W. Neill, the Federal member for the Comox-Alberni riding, and it is very largely through his persistent and thorough representation that the first vote of $12,000 was made in 1924 for the preliminary work, and in the Spring of last year a further sum of $30,000 was voted.

Other Offices

The new building, which is both handsome and substantial, is also modern in every way, and is situated on a double corner on a site given by Mr. M. Perez. The whole of the ground floor is occupied by the postoffice, the Government telegraph and customs offices being on the first floor, as also is the comfortable modern flat provided for the janitors living quarters. The construction of this building was by local contractors, Macdonald & Brethour. Mr. E. R. Tarling, representing the Dominion authorities under Mr. J. G. Brown, Victoria, district resident architect for the Dominion Department of Public Works.

Allies' Chapter, I.O.D.E., Holds Monthly Meeting

SIDNEY, Jan. 8.—The regular monthly meeting of the North Saanich branch of the Allies' Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held in Matthews' Hall on Wednesday, January 6. Twenty-five members were present, one new member, Mrs. Parr, also signing the roll. The regent, Mrs. Campbell, occupied the chair and opened the meeting, after which the minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Rochfort, and adopted. Miss C. Belson than read the financial report, and other reports were presented by the various secretaries. The nomination of officers took place, at the conclusion of which the meeting adjourned, to meet next month at the church hall, Deep Cove, as the guests of Mrs. C. Layard. The meeting was then opened to the public, a large attendance being present to enjoy Dr. Irene Bastow Hudson's most interesting and instructive lecture on the solarium, showing the splendid work to be done, and what is being accomplished already in England and Switzerland. A strong appeal was made for the sum of $5,000, which is now wanted. Mrs. White-Birch moved a hearty vote of thanks to Dr. Hudson for her excellent address, which was seconded by Mrs. Gwynne. A committee was formed to help the work on in North Saanich, consisting of Col. Peck, V.C., M.P.P.; Col. Belson, and Mesdames White, C. C. Cochran, C. Layard and Bodkin. The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem, after which refreshments were served by the tea committee, consisting of Mesdames Bodkin, Philp and G. E. Goddard, assisted by other members.

The general committee meeting of the War Memorial committee in Matthews' Hall will be held on January 14, not January 12, as previously stated.

An extremely successful and enjoyable dance was held in Berquist Hall Thursday, January 7, under the auspices of the North Saanich Social Club. About one hundred and twenty-five dancers, including many visitors from the Deep Cove and Keating districts, were present, and greatly appreciated the excellent selection of the latest and best in dance music, provided by Ray Kinloch's inimitable four-piece orchestra. Good music for the supper extras was supplied by the club orchestra. Delicious refreshments were served by Mesdames Wilkinson, Lorenzen, Sansbury and Kemp the tables being prettily decorated, while dainty buttonholes were provided for each guest. Serpentine, old-time and novelty dances added to the gaiety of the occasion, and it was with much regret that the assembly heard the strains of the National Anthem in the small hours. The proceeds of this entertainment will be devoted to the children's fund for the encouragement of sport.

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Malahat Board Of Trade to Start

New Body Will Shortly Receive Charter and Commence Operations

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Jan. 8.—The Bishop of the Diocese will preach at the afternoon service at All Saints on Sunday next, and will afterwards discuss parochial matters with the congregations.

The annual meeting of the Library will be held on Monday next at 2 o'clock in the Library.

The annual meeting of the Shawnigan Lake Women's Institute will take place in the Hall on Thursday next, at 2:30 p.m.

It is rumored that the Malahat Board of Trade, representing the district of South Cowichan, will be formally inaugurated before the end of the month at the S.L.A.A. Hall, a satisfactory communciation having been received from the Department of the Secretary of State.

Alderman Jenkins Will Retire From Nanaimo Council

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—Alderman D. J. Jenkins, who has served on the Council Board for the past two years, has decided to retire at the end of the present term and not seek re-election.

Alderman Ferguson, who is again in the field for the South Ward as alderman, announced last evening that he will be a candidate also for police commissioner.

There is to be but one police commissioner elected, Commissioner Hickman's term having expired, but if Commissioner Ironside is elected mayor, he will automatically become chairman of the police board, and this would creat a vacancy on the board which would have to be filled later.

Farmers' Institute Meeting

EAST SOOKE, Jan. 8.—The annual meeting was held at Ragley on Wednesday evening. There was a small attendance. Mr. P. Thornett, president; Mr. G. Ball, vice-president; Mr. H. Thornett and Mr. L. Eddy were all re-elected. Mr. Arthur Aylard was elected in place of Mr. Donaldson, who has left the district; Mr. A. Wicker was also elected; two new auditors were Mr. J. W. Hillyard and Mr. W. Caffery, sr. The secretary, Lady Emily Walker, was re-elected, and much appreciation of her work was expressed. An interesting programme of lectures has been arranged which should meet with general approval in the future.

Two new members joined, and several others have given in their names, so the Institute should do well this year.

It is hoped that all the ladies who attend the meetings will join. In that case, special meetings will be arranged for them with subjects of greater interest to them than farm work.

The directors' report expressed satisfaction at the work done during the past year and the satisfactory balance sheet. The Institute now has the sum of $456.87 to its credit, without the government grant, which has not yet been received.

Courtenay Personals

COURTENAY, Jan. 8.—Mr. Campbell Highet, who for a numher of years has been in charge of the Vancouver Milling and Grain Company, has now accepted a position with the local branch of the Brackman-Ker Company. Mr. Highet has a large number of friends in the district and will no doubt be renewing old acquaintances in his new capacity.

Mrs. H. V. Collins leaves tomorrow morning to join Mr. Collins in Vancouver, where he has a position with the Vancouver Harbor Commission. They have been residents of Courtenay and district for some years past, and will be missed by a large circle of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Alberg and little daughter left this morning for England. They have been residing in Courtenay since giving up their holding at Merville.

Record Two Deaths

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—David Bolton, aged forty-two, died in the Nanaimo Hospital yesterday, death resulting from pneumonia. The late Mr. Bolton is a brother of Mrs. J. Crane, of Cedar District. Pending funeral arrangements, the remains repose at the D. J. Jenkins undertaking parlors.

Mrs. Rothery, Needham Street, was advised by cable yesterday of the death of her father, Mr. Thomas Swinburn, which took place in Whitehaven, Cumberland, England.

Will No Longer Mix the Drinks



Thousands of Canadians who have visited the Savoy Hotel, London, during the last twenty-four years will remember the smiling countenance of "Coley," otherwise known as Miss Coleman, who dispensed cocktails in the American bar. She has mixed drinks for royalty and was presented to the late Queen Alexandra. She has recently announced her intention of resigning.

Christmas Tea for St. Andrew's S.S. Held at Sidney

An enjoyable Christmas tea for the pupils and parents of St. Andrew's Sunday School was held in Matthews' Hall, at which over fifty guests were present. The time passed pleasantly in games until six o'clock, when the supper march was played by Mrs. Le Vack, after which delicious refreshments were served from a prettily decorated table. At the conclusion of the supper a peanut contest provided much amusement, followed by an excellent selection of lantern slides, which were kindly loaned by Mr. W. Whiting and exhibited by Rev. T. M. Hughes. Miss Margaret Cochran then proposed a vote of thanks to Rev. Hughes, the superintendent; Mrs. Stanley Brethour, and the teachers, Miss R. Matthews and Miss D. Gilman. Rev. Hughes tendered a hearty vote of thanks to all those who so generously gave their services, including Mrs. J. Gilman, Mrs. O. Thomas, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Le Vack and Miss M. Cochran. The children then gave a very hearty vote of thanks and thre cheers for Mr. and Mrs. J. Matthews, who had kindly donated the entire hall for the evening. Each child was given a bag of nuts and an orange before leaving for home in the cars which had been lent for the occasion by thoughtful parents.

The regular meeting of the Sidney Social Club was held in Matthews' Hall on Wednesday, January 6, with a good attendance. The prize winners for the evening were Mrs. R. N. MacAulay, Mrs. T. Lidgate, Mr. W. Crossley and Mr. G. A. Cochran. At the conclusion of the card game a business meeting was held, at which it was decided to cancel the meeting of the club next week and visit the Mount Newton Social Club, leaving the Flying Line station at seven forty-five p.m.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church will meet on Wednesday, January 13, at the home of Mrs. S. Brethour, East Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Tregelles and family, of Victoria, have been guests at the home of Mrs. A. Rankin, Beacon Avenue.

Mr. Percy Barker, of Seattle, who has been visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Barker, Sidney, has returned to his home.

Mr. Colin McKenzie, of Vancouver, has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. C. C. McKenzie, Pleasant Drive, for the past few days.

Mrs. Clowes and Mr. B. Clowes, of Vancouver, have returned to their home after spending the holiday season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Thomas, East Road.

The many friends of Mr. W. H. Dawes are sorry to learn that he is confined to his home, suffering from a severe cold and bronchitis.

The regular monthly meeting of the Sidney Board of Trade will be held in Wesley Hall, on Tuesday, January 12. A full attendance of members is requested.

A general committee meeting, to which the public are invited, is called for the hour of eight o'clock in Matthew's Hall on the evening of Tuesday, January 12, to discuss the report drawn up by the chairman of the special committee instructed to inquire into the price of the memorial chosen at the general meeting which was held on December 3, and other data in connection therewith.

The annual meeting of the Sidney Public Library Association will be held in the school, on Monday, January 11, at 8 p.m. The programme includes reports on the year's work, general discussion of the affairs of the Association, and election of the board of management for the coming year. A large attendance is requested, all members being particularly invited to be present.

Is Elected President

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—Mrs. William Grieve was unanimously re-elected as president of the Cedar Women's Institute at the annual meeting held recently at the Institute Hall on the Speedway. Other officers for the 1926 term are: Vice-president, Mrs. Meikle; secretary, Mrs. Maguire; directors, Mrs. R. Ferguson, Mrs. S. York and Mrs. Parker Williams. A letter was read from Mrs. Tomer, the originator of the Curb Market in Vancouver, regarding the marketing of farm produce. She urged the co-operation of town and country women in the matter for the betterment of both. The letter was held over for future action.

Named Vice-President

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—Alderman M. C. Ironside, candidate for mayor in the municipal election here on Thursday next, has been advised of his appointment as honorary vice-president of the Vancouver Exhibition Association for 1926, representing the district of Nanaimo.

Mr. G. F. Watson May Run for Saanich Reeve

Former Occupant of Executive's Chair for Four Terms Is Pressed to Seek Honors at Polls Again To Give Decision Monday

Mr. George F. Watson, of Gordon Head, who has served four terms as reeve of Saanich municipality, may enter the field for reeveship honors in the present election campaign. He declined last night to make any definite statement whether he would run or not, but intimated that he would make up his mind on the matter on Monday, which is the statutory municipal nomination day.

Friends of ex-Reeve Watson are strongly urging him to be a candidate for reeveship honors. They believe that his chances of securing election in the present contest are good and that his past experience in municipal politics would be of great value and benefit to Saanich during 1926.

"I am in the hands of my friends," said ex-Reeve Watson last night, when asked to announce his intentions. He stated that he would consider over the week-end the requests that he stand again and issue a statement at the beginning of the week as to whether he would seek the reeveship or not.

Ex-Reeve Watson presided over the affairs of the municipality of Saanich during the years 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923. He was defeated by Reeve Macnicol, the present incumbent, at the 1924 annual election. He was a member of the Saanich School Board for a number of years, having served as chairman of that body. He represented Ward Three as councillor in 1919.

Mr. Watson at the present time is one of Saanich's representatives on the Greater Victoria Cemetery Board and is chairman of that body.

If ex-Reeve Watson becomes a candidate, there will be a four-cornered fight for the reeveship. Reve Robert Macnicol is seeking a third term as chief executive, while Messrs. W. J. Waters and Robert Collis are also seeking the reeve's chair in Saanich.

Where Some Flies Go in Wintertime

Entomologist Receives Word From New Zealand of Arrival of B.C. Lacewings

A communication just received by Mr. W. Downes, Dominion entomologist for B.C. from Dr. R. J. Tillyard, of Cawthron Institute, Nelson, New Zealand, brings the interesting information that a consignment of lacewing flies shipped from here two or three months ago has arrived there in excellent condition.

These lacewing flies are of great value in keeping down insect pests, through their larvae, which destroy aphis in large numbers. These larvae are, in fact, commonly called "Aphis Lions," and will attack and kill any insect they can overpower.

This is the only shipment of these flies that has arrived in New Zealand alive, although many other shipments have been tried from the United States. The adults sent in this shipment were collected in the Okanagan, where they spend the Winter under the bark of pine trees.

In his communication Dr. Tillyard spoke very highly of the method of packing and handling the flies on the voyage.

Make Presentation

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—The Women of Moosheart visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Addison the other evening and presented the couple with a silver Pyrex pie dish and silver pie fork in honor of their silver wedding anniversary. Legionaire Jenkinson made the presentation, to which Mrs. Addison suitably replied.

A pleasant evening followed with music and games, those contributing musical numbers being Mesdames Denton, Dobinson, Thorne, Murray, Marsden, Clarkson, Blummer, Foy, Radcliffe and the Misses Denton and Radcliffe. A peanut race proved to be the hit of the evening, was won by Mrs. Ridley, with Miss Buttress second, and the consolation prize going to Mrs. Addison. The guessing contest was won by Miss Bailey, with Mrs. Charles Marsh, second, and Mrs. Logan third. The donkey game was won by Mrs. Foy, with Mrs. Marsden second and Mrs. Clements third.

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Colonial Pumps and Strap Shoes, with Cuban, Spanish and Louis heels; in black satin, black suede, grey suede, fawn suede, black kid and patent leather. All high-grade shoes. Sale Price, per pair..... $6.95

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Finest Quality Breakfast Side Bacon, per lb.	45¢
Peameal Back Bacon, per lb.	46¢
Machine Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb.	38¢
Prime Old Canadian Cheese, per lb.	40¢
Swift's Boneless Ham, sliced, per lb.	50¢
Swift's Premium Cooked Ham, per lb.	60¢
Finest Quality Jellied Veal, per lb.	40¢
Choice Lunch Tongue, per lb.	55¢
Thinly Sliced Veal Loaf, lb.	40¢
Finest Quality Sliced Pressed Beef, per lb.	45¢
Hudson's Bay Special Breakfast Tea, per lb.	55¢
3 lbs. for	$1.60
Hudson's Bay Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb.	65¢
3 lbs. for	$1.90
Hudson's Bay Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb.	45¢
Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack	$1.28
Mother's Macaroni, Spaghetti, Vermicelli and Noodles. Special, per pkg.	9¢
Chipso Soap Flakes, 3 pkgs.	25¢
Wool Soap, for toilet and bath, 4 bars for	25¢
Choice Evaporated Apricots, per lb.	27½¢

Fruit and Vegetables

Extra Fancy Winesap Apples, per box	$3.00
Extra Fancy Yellow Newton Apples, per box	$3.50
Finest Local Cooking Apples, per box	$1.50
New California Navel Oranges, per dozen	25¢, 35¢, 50¢ and 60¢
Barbara Worth Grapefruit, at 3 for	25¢
Choice Florida Grapefruit, each, 10¢, 15¢ and	20¢
Cultivated Mushrooms, ½-lb. tray for	50¢
Cape Cod Cranberries, lb.	25¢
Selected Cauliflower, each	15¢, 20¢ and 25¢
Local Table Carrots, 15 lbs.	25¢
Finest Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs.	25¢
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Nottingham Lace Curtains
Good Quality Net Curtains in all-over patterns. Sale Price, pair, $1.00

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Swiss Net Curtains, with dainty blue or rose dots and tie backs. Regular $4.25. Sale Price, per pair..... $1.95

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40-Inch Reversible Tapestry Cloth, in brown, green and red; suitable for portiere curtains and hangings. Sale Price, per yard..... 69¢

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Reinforced at heels and toes. Choice of Indian skin, cameo, pongee, grey, silver and mauresque; also black. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair $1.69

Gotham Gold Stripe Silk Hose
With hemmed tops and reinforced heels and toes. Choice of sunset, seal, otter, shell, black, French nude, skyn, camel and bobolink. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Regular $3.00. Sale Price, per pair $2.79
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Clearance of Millinery



Here's the extra Hat you want for wear right now—clever shapes that look so smart with fur-collared coats. Included in this January Clearance are velvets and velours suitable for wearing right into the Spring, and they are offered at half price and less.

Trimmed and Ready-to-Wear Hats
Of velvet and combinations of velvet and silk. Shown in off-the-face and drooping brim styles, in brown, tan, rose, henna and black. Reg. $4.95 to $6.95. Sale $1.98

Velour and Felt Hats
In all shades and styles. Regular $4.69 to $12.50. Clearing at ..... HALF PRICE

Pattern Hats
Consisting of trimmed velours, velvets and other popular fabrics in newest colors, exclusive styles. Regular $13.50 to $18.50. Clearing at ..... HALF PRICE

Children's Hats Clearing at $1.00

Of plush, velvet, cloth and felt, soft pull-on shapes, with ribbon trimming. Regular $2.50 to $3.95. To clear at $1.00
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Bargains in the Whitewear and Corset Sections

New Sateen Underskirts
Made from heavy quality mercerized sateen, knife or accordion pleated flounces. Choice of rose, French blue, grey, taupe and navy; also black. Sale Price $1.49

House Dresses
Serviceable House Dresses, in neat ginghams or chambrays. Peter Pan or roll collars, short sleeves, patch pockets and all-round belt of self material. Choice of grey, rose, peach, tan and green, with floral, spot or check effects in contrasting colors. Values to $3.90. Sale Price $1.79

Nurses' Uniforms
Made from strong quality white drill, regulation style, with buttoned front, which makes them easy to launder. Value $3.50. Sale Price $2.49

Corselettes
Made from firm novelty rep, fastening at left side front; lightly boned over abdomen and in back; 14-inch elastic panels over the hips. Sizes 32 to 44. Value $3.95. Sale Price $1.98

Brassieres
In Numode, Bien Jolie and Boyshform makes, pink and white novelty reps, Grecian treco and silk striped batiste, in various lengths; front and back fastening. Sizes 32 to 44. Values to $1.95. Sale Price, each ..... 98¢
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Novelty Blouses

Values to $12.95 for $7.98

Serviceable blouses in heavy quality spun silk, neatly tailored; others in striped flannel with high collars and long sleeves. Also good quality crepe de Chine blouses, smartly tucked or beaded. A nice assortment of colors to choose from. Values to $12.95. Sale Price $7.98
Values to $17.50. Sale $10.98
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Children's Wear at Savings

Infants' Jiffy Pants
Made from durable quality rubber, natural only. Medium size. Sale Price, per pair ..... 29¢

Flannelette Sleepers
Made from good washing flannelette, with drop seat and feet. Choice of peach, sky and white. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Value $1.00. Sale Price ..... 89¢

Bloomers
Fleece-Lined Bloomers, medium weight. In camel, cream and navy. Sizes 4 to 10 years. Sale Price, per pair ..... 59¢

Bonnets
In silk poplin, corduroy velvet and plush, poke or Dutch style. In white, saxe and navy. Values to $1.50. Sale Price ..... 59¢

Girls' Dresses
Made from serviceable wool crepe or flannel, plain or pleated skirts, button or braid trimmings. In shades of green, sand, purple, henna and navy. Sizes 10 to 15 years. Values to $14.95. Sale Price $7.98
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Big Reductions in
Women's Smart Neckwear

Collar Frillings and Panellings
Of fine net trimmed with Val. and filet lace. Various patterns to choose from; widths 3 to 9 inches. In white, cream and ecru; also cream with colored edge. Values to $2.50. Sale Price, per yard ..... 79¢

Collars and Collar and Cuff Sets
Tuxedo and Peter Pan styles. Made of rhamoisette, flannel, linen, eyelet embroidered muslin; also a few embroidered in colors. Values to $1.00. Sale Price ..... 59¢

Cashmere Scarves
In various striped and checked designs. Shown in two-tone colorings of sand and brown, grey and Copenhagen, pencil blue and fawn; also fawn and orange. Sale Price $2.25
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Art Needlework Specials

Stamped and Made-Up Nightgowns
Of good quality nainsook, in simple designs. Regular $1.50. Sale Price $1.00

Stamped and Made-Up Nightgowns for Children
Made of excellent quality nainsook. Sizes 10 to 14 years. Reg. $1.75. Sale Price, $1.29

Stamped and Made-Up Nightgowns
Of pink mull. Regular $2.75. Sale Price $1.29

Lace Trimmed Negligees
In dainty designs for working. Reg. $3.00. Sale Price, $1.79
—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

95c Specials in the Silverware Section

Dainty Butter Dishes, glass lined, silver frames with knife. Sale Price ..... 95¢
Individual Silver-Plated Egg Cups with stand and spoon. Sale Price ..... 95¢
Silver-Plated Bonbon or Almond Dishes. Sale Price ..... 95¢
Silver-Plated Mustard Pots, glass lined. Sale Price ..... 95¢
Silver-Plated Tea Infusers. Sale Price ..... 95¢
Silver-Plated Ash Trays. Sale Price ..... 95¢

Stainless Steel Knives 6 for $2.79

Dessert Size Firth's Stainless Steel Knives, round or square handles. Sale Price ..... 6 for $2.79
Dinner style, square handles only. Sale Price, 6 for $3.00
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

January Clearance of Glassware

Genuine Cut Glass Fruit or Salad Bowls
Star or buzz designs. Regular $5.95. Sale Price $3.95

Genuine Cut Glass Salt and Pepper Shakers
With glass screw tops. Sale Price, per pair, 65¢, 85¢ and $1.25

Colonial Etched Cut Glass Sugars and Creams
In two styles and patterns. Regular 95c. Sale Price, per pair ..... 65¢

Clear Optic Water Tumblers
Half-pint size, nice weight for general use. Sale Price ..... 6 for 75¢
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Window Shades for 69c

Green and Cream Opaque Cloth Window Shades, complete with brackets and fixtures; these have slight imperfections but not enough to affect the wear; size 3 by 6. Sale Price ..... 69¢
—3rd Floor, H.B.C.



1,000 Pieces of High-Grade Enamelware at 20% Off

Almost every kind of piece used in the kitchen is included in this big clearance of Enamelware. Of heavy quality, blue outside and white lining, it is attractive in appearance as well as serviceable and durable. Originally marked at special low prices, with this further reduction of 20%, the values are exceedingly attractive.

Lipped Saucepans. Sale Price, 35¢, 52¢, 64¢ and ..... 76¢
Straight Covered Saucepans. Sale Price, $1.28 and $1.40
Convex Covered Saucepans. Sale Prices, 75¢, $1.00 and $1.20
Potato Pots, covered. Sale Prices ..... $1.80 and $2.00
Double Boilers. Sale Prices, $1.35, $1.55 and $2.00
Covered Stew Pots. Sale Prices, $1.20, $1.40 $1.55, $1.80 and $2.00
Stew Kettles. Sale Prices, $1.00, $1.15 and $1.27
Tea Kettles. Sale Prices, $1.50, $1.80 and $2.00
Globe Shape Teapots. Sale Prices ..... 75¢ and $1.00
Tall Tea and Coffee Pots. Sale Price, $1.00 and $1.20
Pails. Sale Prices ..... $1.00 and $1.20
Colanders. Sale Prices, 75¢ and ..... 80¢
Sink Baskets. Sale Price, 70¢
Pudding Pans. Sale Prices, 28¢, 32¢ and ..... 40¢

Candy Special for Today

Cowan's Milk Chocolate Almonds, per lb. ..... 58¢
Toasted Cocoanut Cakes, per lb. ..... 45¢
Pure Barley Sugar Toys, per lb. ..... 42¢
Crystallized Jellies, per lb. ..... 37¢
Fancy Mixture, consisting of satins, ribbon and boiled candy, per lb. ..... 27¢
Chocolate Bars, 3 for ..... 24¢
and 6 for ..... 24¢
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Earthen Cooking Ware Greatly Reduced

This serviceable Cooking Ware, of first grade quality, is green outside and has white lining. Buy several pieces now at these extra low prices.

Oval Casseroles
Regular 75c. Sale Price ..... 60¢
Regular $1.00. Sale Price ..... 80¢
Regular $1.35. Sale Price $1.32
Regular $2.15. Sale Price $1.75

Round Casseroles
Regular 50c. Sale Price ..... 40¢
Regular 60c. Sale Price ..... 48¢
Regular 80c. Sale Price ..... 64¢
Regular $1.15. Sale Price ..... 92¢
Regular $1.35. Sale Price $1.08
Regular $1.95. Sale Price $1.48

Bean Pots
Regular $1.50. Sale Price $1.20
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Kitchen Tinware at Half Price

6-Piece Patty Pans. Regular 10c. Sale Price ..... 5¢
6-Piece Cake Tins. Regular 10c. Sale Price ..... 5¢
4-Piece Muffin Tins. Reg. 15c. Sale Price, 2 for 15¢
Clean Cut Pie Plates. Reg. 15c. Sale Price, 2 for 15¢
Tin Graters and Sieve Strainers. Regular 15c. Sale Price ..... 2 for 15¢
Dipper Shape Soup Strainers. Regular 25c. Sale Price ..... 12½¢
Wood Roller Towel Bars. Reg. 25c. Sale Price, 15¢

Clearance of Kitchen Cutlery Half Price

Butcher Steak Knives. Reg. $1.95. Sale Price ..... 98¢
Ham Slicers. Regular $1.95. Sale Price ..... 98¢
Kitchen Butcher Knives. Regular $1.50. Sale Price, each ..... 75¢
Kitchen Knives. Regular $1.25. Sale Price ..... 98¢
Regular 75c. Sale Price ..... 38¢

NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Hughie Lehman Beats Victoria Cougars by His Wonderful Saves

Lester Patrick's Boys Outplay Vancouver in First Two Periods, and Then Lose by One Goal—Clem Loughlin Plays Masterly Game—Reg Mackey Scores Only Tally of Splendid Entertainment

Two Fights Occur During Final Frame; Maroons Climb Into Second Position

Vancouver 1, Victoria 0

Doff your hats to "Eagle Eye" Hughie Lehman himself. This star goalie, who captains the Vancouver Maroons, proved the undoing of the Victoria Cougars last night at the Willows ice rink. He refused to permit the local puckchasers to slip the elusive disc into his basket and there-



HUGHIE LEHMAN
(Maroons' Captain)

by enabled the Mainlanders to depart from the scene of the entertainment on the long end of a 1-0 count.

Reg Mackey, the youngster that the Maroons secured from Calgary this season in exchange for Art Duncan, garnered the only tally of the fracas. This score was registered just two minutes and five seconds after the third period began. Mackey carried the puck down towards the Victoria goal and, after passing the blue line, shot the rubber from the left boards and the puck glided into the local receptacle.

The Cougars fought desperately in the closing session to draw on to even terms with the visitors, but in vain. The Maroons certainly packed their defence, and with Lehman right on his toes and turning everything aside that came in his direction they succeeded in blanking the home club.

Maroons in Second Berth

By virtue of their success, the Mainlanders climbed into second place in the circuit and now have fifteen points to their credit. The Sheiks of Saskatoon continued their championship stride last night at Edmonton's expense, when they humbled the latter aggregation to the tune of three goals to nil. The Sheiks are sitting on top with sixteen points, Portland follows Vancouver with thirteen and the Edmonton boys have twelve. Victoria and Calgary are last, with eight and six points, respectively.

Many times during the battle the Victoria crew had splendid chances to net the rubber, but Lehman was the big man that broke their hearts and played havoc with their intentions. Hughie was given fine support by his comrades on the offensive and their efforts were crowned with success. They frustrated the persistent onslaughts of the Cougars, and their forwards, who backchecked well, broke up many of the local players' rushes.

While Lehman was covering himself with glory in the Vancouver cage, he drew the ire of the crowd by his actions towards one of the Cougars. He gave Jack Walker a couple of good cracks with his stick, awats which were entirely uncalled for and unjustifiable in every way. He got away with it, though, because Ion let it pass, although the fans recorded their extreme disapproval of the incident in no uncertain manner.

Two Fights During Fracas

The contest was hard fought and two fights featured the event. Both of these took place in the final spasm, after the visitors had scored what proved to be the winning goal. Frank Boucher and Harold Halderson got into a little argument and mixed, with the result that they were each benched for ten minutes. Not long after Mickey MacKay and Jack Walker locked horns and had to be separated by the other players. They also received similar punishment to that handed out to the previous offenders.

Local fans thought that Mickey Ion was rather hard on the home club last night and too severe in handing out penalties to the Cougars. He certainly didn't give the Victoria team any of the breaks. The Maroons were easily the rougher of the rival outfits in manner of play, but succeeded in getting away with it.

The first two periods produced as fine hockey as anyone would care to see. The Victoria puckchasers outplayed their guests in each of these torrid frames, but failed to do the necessary thing to capture the tussle. They stormed the Vancouver citadel time after time, but without avail. The pace was fast, good stickhandling was the order and combination tactics on the part of both teams was in evidence.

The Turning Point

After fighting through two twenty-minute sessions that were crowded with action and excitement, the two clubs entered the last round each more determined than ever to emerge from the thick victorious. The turning point of the game came when the Maroons scored. Vancouver played a strong defensive game from then on and took no chances on losing after obtaining the lead.

During the last five minutes of the show, the Victoria boys left their defence and all participated in a hectic battering of the Vancouver cage. The Cougars came near tallying more than once and the men under Frank Patrick's wing had to be alert, right on the job, to stop the fighting Victorians. The game throughout was marked by fast skating and close checking.

The Cougars did their utmost to win. They required a victory very much and wanted to beat the Maroons for the first time this season. They lost to the Terminal City bunch last Monday night and they hoped to turn the tables in the game here this week. But Lehman was too strong altogether and the home club's ambitions were not realized.

Clem's Masterly Work

Clem Loughlin's masterly playing was one of the outstanding features of the night. Clem turned in his best game on the local pond this season. He was a constant thorn in the side of the visiting outfit. He was a tower of strength on the defence, and a continual worry to the Maroons' net guardian. Jocko Anderson was as peppery as usual, while Jack Walker played his usual excellent match. Lester Patrick had to be watched closely by the visitors. Harold Halderson was good with Happy Holmes and Clem on the defence, while his work on the attack elicited for him applause from the stands. Frank Fredrickson was untiring at all times in his efforts to put his club ahead, but was carefully watched by the invaders.

Reg Mackey, the boy who was responsible for the Vancouver marker, showed fine form all night on the pond. Mickey MacKay, with his lightning speed and rushes, was a



CLEM LOUGHLIN
(Cougars' Skipper)

spectacular figure who got in some effective work. Ty Arbour and Reinikka were in the game 100 per cent and contributed ably to the Maroons' success. Amby Moran was a powerful man on the defence and his movements were closely followed by his foes. Frank Boucher was a trouble maker for the Cougars and interfered with many of the plans of Lester Patrick's boys.

The teams were as follows:

The Teams

Victoria		Vancouver
Holmes	Goal	Lehman
Loughlin	Defence	Moran
Halderson	Defence	Mackey
Fredrickson	Centre	Boucher
Walker	Forward	MacKay
Hart	Forward	Reinikka
Patrick	Reserve	Arbour
Meeking	Reserve	Crawford
Anderson	Reserve	Walte
Ontman	Reserve	Boatrum

Goal Scoring

First period: None.

Second period: None.

Third period: 1, Vancouver, Mackey, 2:05.

Penalties

First period: Meeking, Victoria, two minutes.

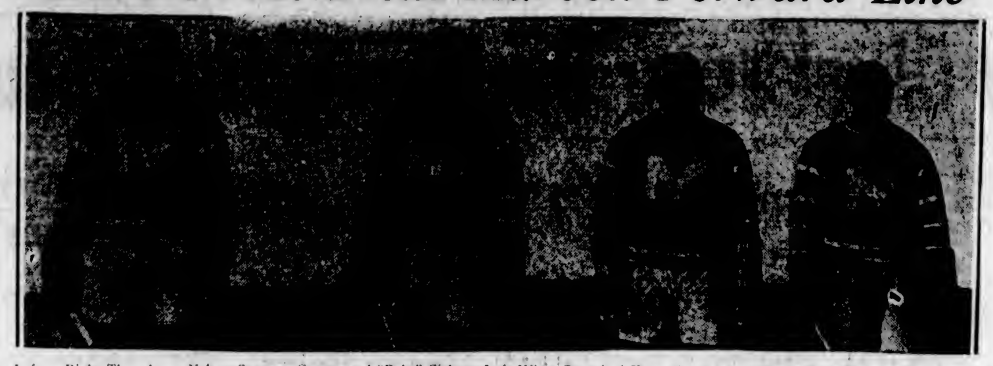
Second period: Loughlin, Victoria, two minutes; Reinikka, Vancouver, two minutes.

Third period: Moran, Vancouver, two minutes; Halderson, Victoria, ten minutes; Boucher, Vancouver, ten minutes; MacKay, Vancouver, ten minutes; Walker, Victoria, ten minutes.

Referee: Mickey Ion.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—One elementary school after another in England is deserting association football for rugby because rugby still remains strictly amateur. The situation has reached such a stage that the headmasters who are seeking means of saving soccer as a school sport, realize they have a difficult task before them.

Stars of Montreal Maroon Forward Line



From Left to Right They Are: Nelson Stewart, Centre, and "Babe" Siebert, Left Wing, Recruited From the Amateur Ranks This Season; "Punch" Broadbent and Sammy Rothschilds, Playing Their Second Season With the Maroons.

In the Pond Realm

LEAGUE STANDING

	P.	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pt.
Saskatoon	12	8	4	0	54	25	16
Vancouver	14	7	6	1	34	36	15
Portland	12	6	5	1	34	34	13
Edmonton	10	6	4	0	35	30	12
Victoria	12	3	7	2	15	29	6
Calgary	10	2	6	2	18	25	6

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Vancouver 1, Victoria 0.
Saskatoon 3, Edmonton 0.

INDIVIDUAL SCORERS

	G.	A.	Pt.
W. Cook, Saskatoon	11	6	17
Gagne, Edmonton	7	7	14
Keats, Edmonton	10	3	13
Irvin, Portland	12	1	13
Fredrickson, Victoria	8	3	11
MacKay, Vancouver	8	3	11
Denenney, Saskatoon	6	3	9
Oliver, Calgary	4	4	8
Mackey, Vancouver	8	0	8
Boucher, Vancouver	3	4	7
Shepherd, Edmonton	5	2	7
Reinikka, Vancouver	7	0	7
Hay, Portland	4	3	7
Stanley, Edmonton	5	1	6
Wilson, Calgary	2	4	6
Trupp, Portland	2	4	6
Reiden, Calgary	5	0	5
McVeigh, Portland	4	1	5
Walker, Victoria	2	2	4
L. Patrick, Victoria	0	4	4
Arbour, Vancouver	0	4	4
Cameron, Saskatoon	4	0	4
Sparrow, Calgary	2	2	4
Moran, Vancouver	1	0	1
Reise, Saskatoon	0	4	4
Townsend, Portland	2	1	3
Hart, Victoria	2	1	3
McCormick, Portland	3	0	3
Darsty, Portland	3	0	3
Gordon, Saskatoon	3	0	3
Shore, Edmonton	2	1	3
F. Cook, Saskatoon	3	0	3
Anderson, Victoria	1	1	2
Dutkowski, Portland	1	1	2
C. Loughlin, Victoria	1	1	2
Scott, Saskatoon	2	0	2
Bourgeault, Saskatoon	2	0	2
R. Boucher, Edmonton	2	0	2
Macfarlane, Calgary	2	0	2
Meeking, Victoria	1	1	1
Oatman, Victoria	1	0	1
Duncan, Calgary	0	1	1
Waite, Vancouver	0	1	1
Traub, Portland	1	0	1
Datman, Calgary	0	1	1
W. Loughlin, Edmonton	1	0	1

NEXT WEEK'S GAMES

Monday: Portland at Vancouver; Edmonton at Saskatoon.
Wednesday: Victoria at Portland; Vancouver at Edmonton.
Thursday: Vancouver at Saskatoon.
Friday: Portland at Victoria.
Saturday: Vancouver at Calgary.

Edmonton Eskimos Whitewashed By League Leaders of Saskatoon

Score Three to Nothing in Western Hockey League Game on Prairies—Teams Battle Nearly Forty Minutes Without Score—McIntyre Given Chance

EDMONTON, Jan. 8.—Playing on a water-covered sheet of ice on which the puck bounced around like a golf ball, the Edmonton Eskimos lost a heartbreaking game to the Saskatoon Sheiks, 3-0. For thirty-eight minutes the Eskimos had it over the league leaders like the proverbial tent, but miraculous goalkeeping by Hainsworth kept them out, and after the red shirts notched their first tally it was all over but the shouting. The teams battled through the first period without a score and for more than eighteen minutes in the second before the big break of the game came. One minute and forty seconds before the end of the period the Sheiks caught the Eskimos with only two men on defence. Denenney, Reise and W. Cook broke away abreast. Reise passed to Denenney as he hit the defence and the former circled Keats to bulge the twine for the first goal of the game. A minute later W. Cook potted one past Stuart on Denenney's rebound and the Sheiks were two up.

Decidedly Outplayed

The conditions made a two-goal margin look as big as a house and the Eskimos were decidedly outplayed in the final stanza. Bunny Cook made it 3-0 on a pass from brother Bill about half-way through the period and after this the home talent were never in the picture.

Shore drew a major penalty in this period for chopping Gordon down.

Sheppard was out of the game with injuries, and McIntyre, a local amateur, was given a chance. In the few minutes he was on he made a favorable impression.

Summary

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Saskatoon, Denenney from Reise, 18:20; 2, Saskatoon, W. Cook, 1:00.

Third period—3, Saskatoon, B. Cook from W. Cook, 3:30.

Penalties

First period—Reise.
Second period—Gordon.
Third period—Shore (10).

The Line Up

Edmonton	Position	Saskatoon
Stuart	goal	Hainsworth
Shore	defence	Cameron
Stanley	defence	Reise
Gagne	forward	Denenney
Keats	forward	Scott
Anderson	forward	W. Cook
McIntyre	sub	F. Cook
F. Boucher	sub	Gordon
Scott	sub	Bourgait
Goldsworthy	sub	Benson

Referee: Carl Battell.

Al Espinosa and Chick Fraser Tied for Lead at Los Angeles

Shoot Two Under Par for Southern Course in First Round of $10,000 Tournament—Phil Taylor Turns In Card for 73—Field of Over 250

LOS ANGELES COUNTRY CLUB, LOS ANGELES, Jan. 8.—Al Espinoza, of Chicago, and Chick Fraser, of Midwick Country Club, Los Angeles, surprised the galleries composed of thousands today who followed other favorites in the first qualifying flight of eighteen holes in the $10,000 open golf tournament here. They rambled in with but a few personal followers with cards of 68, two under par for the south course and as many below the card of the ruling favorite, Harry Cooper, of Dallas, Texas, who went around in 70.

A day of warm sunshine beamed for the upwards of 250 professional and amateur players, a score or more of straggliers being permitted to wind over the course as post entries after the official list of 220 starters had been compiled.

Harry Cooper found company with Frank Walsh, of Appleton, Wis., and Joe Kirkwood, New York, in cards of 70. Joe Kirkwood, the famous golf trick shot player, did the even performance of making each hole in par.

Dallas Jeffers, Riverside, played great golf today and in the eyes of his enthusiastic followers was really almost in the class with Espinoza and Fraser, for he went over the famous north course in 71, one under par for that course. Others with cards of 71, but for the south course, were Ed. Gayer, Chicago; John J. McHugh, San Francisco amateur; Tom Stevens, Los Angeles; Joe Novak, Berkeley, and Jack Tarrant, Los Angeles. Fred Novak, of Phoenix, Ariz., led the 72 class by getting that card on the north course, while the other 72's turned in from the south course were Macdonald Smith, of Great Neck, N.Y.; Dewey Longworth, Long Beach, Cal.; Dewey Weber, La Grange Ills.; Willie Hunter, Santa Monica; W. E. Melhorn, Chicago, and Geo. von Elm, local amateur.

Sixty-seven players finished today with cards of 76 or under. Additional to those players whose scores are enumerated above, those with 77 or under today were:

73—Phil Taylor, Victoria, B.C.; George J. Martin, Long Beach; Al Watrous, Chicago; Harold Beer, Portland, Ore.; C. W. Hall, Birmingham, Ala.

74—Arthur Clarkson, Los Angeles; Earl Nagel, San Francisco; J. Battini, Lakeville, N.Y.; John Black, Wichita, Kas.; Neil Christian, Yakima; Bobby Cruickshank, Oklahoma; H. Sampson, Burlinghame, Cal.; Bob Peebles, Peoria, Ills.; C. E. Manning, Shreveport, La.; Vic Daberto, Los Angeles; J. W. Fries, Oakland; Joe Turnesa, New York; Ernest Martin, Corona, Cal.; Arthur Brooks, San Jose, Cal., and William Creavy, Oklahoma City.

75—Dave Martin, Hollywood; Frank Minch, Sacramento; Joe Hegeman, Pasadena; Mortie Dutra, Aberdeen, Wash.; Dick Linares, Long Beach, Cal.; Perry Ferguson, Los Angeles; James Carberry, Chicago; Elmer Holland, Los Angeles; Olin Dutra, Fresno; F. Nunnally, Whittier, Cal.; Louis Myers, Providence, R.I.; W. L. Crummy, St. Paul, Minn.

76—Dr. C. Hartley, Los Angeles; Hutt Martin, Corona, Cal.; Dave Trufrell, Wichita, Kas.; George Kerrigan, Pasadena; J. Mescall, Culver City, Cal.; S. W. Hutchison, Ponca City, Okla.; Joe Lally, El Paso, Tex.; John Rogers, Pittsburgh; Capt. A. Bullock-Webster, Los Angeles; Grant Halstead, San Gabriel, Cal.; Douglas Cameron, Ventura, Cal.; Ted Benedict, Burlingame, Cal.; William Wall, San Francisco; John E. Jones, Seattle; Andrew Kay, Toronto; L. Nabholtz, Cleveland.

77—Dave Black, Vancouver, B.C.; Jim Gullane, Colorado Springs; Curley Hueston, Seattle; Harold Thompson, Glendale, Cal.; Lewis Scott, Los Angeles; Dave Ayton, Vancouver, B.C.; John Golden, Paterson, N.J.; Jack Hueston, Seattle; Bob Morrison, Los Angeles; Wm. Stone, Burbank; Walter Pursey, Seattle; Ed. Landeen, St. Paul.

Roller Hockey League Entries Close Today

Entries for the Victoria and District Roller Hockey League will close today with Secretary W. H. Davies, at 641 Fort Street. The schedule will be drawn up over the week-end and the first games will be played at the Victoria West Gymnasium on Friday evening, January 15. Entries received to date are as follows:

90 lbs.—V. I. Midgets, Willows Canucks, Fernwood Beavers, Rock Bay Midgets and Foul Bay.

110 lbs.—Foul Bay Monarchs, Oaklands and Hill's Corner.

145 lbs.—112th Battalion, Victoria West, Selkirks and Wanderers.

Grass Hockey Team Goes to Active Pass

The Victoria Grass Hockey Club is holding a mixed practice at Oak Bay Park at 2:45 p.m. today. The following team is going to Active Pass to represent the club in a match there: Miss Presser, Miss Durham, Miss Harmon, Miss M. Harris, Miss Parr, and Messrs. Bird, Aldis, McLoughlin, Pollard, Pemberton and Wilson.

N.H.L. Standing

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Ottawa	10	2	1	33	14	21
Montreal	9	4	1	39	29	19
Canadiens	6	6	0	30	37	12
New York	5	6	1	27	30	11
Pittsburgh	5	8	1	22	31	11
Boston	4	8	1	24	33	9
St. Patricks	3	8	1	27	33	7

Games today—Boston at Toronto; New York at Canadiens.

Senior Rugby Off

NO senior rugby will be played in Victoria today, the game which was to have been played at the Willows between the Oak Bay Wanderers and the United Services having been called off last night.

There will be an intermediate league game between the Wanderers and the Normal School at Oak Bay at 3 p.m. The Wanderers' team will be composed of the following: Russell, B. Forbes, Noel, Hicks, C. Forbes, D. Wilson, Dunn, Stuart, Smith, Parfitt, Horne, Lister, Crawford, Cavenlss and Morris.

New Swimming Records Claimed at Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Three new world's records splashed into being last night at the Illinois Athletic Club swimming meet.

Arne Borg bettered Johnny Weismuller's record of 4:51 2-5 for the 440-yard free style event, negotiating the distance in 4:47 1-5. Weismuller, doing the 220-yard free style in 2:10 2-5, beat his own record by 3 3-5 seconds, and beat Ethel Lackey in the women's division set a new record for the 100-yard event which she made in 1:02 4-5. Her old time was 1:03 1-5.

Calgary Tigers Lead League in Penalty Figures

CALGARY Tigers have served more penalties in fewer games than any other team in the Western Hockey League. This is shown by official averages issued from the office of E. L. Richardson, league president.

In nine games the Tigers have wasted 137 minutes, or a little over seven full periods of hockey, on the fence. Edmonton in nine games has been penalized 128 minutes, which includes 72 minutes served by Duke Keats alone, who holds the record as league "badman" to date, and also ranks third in the scoring averages, next to Art Gagne, a teammate, who is just one point below Bill Cook, Saskatoon, the league leader.

Vancouver, the best behaved team in action in the West, holds the enviable record of losing but 62 minutes in twelve games, an average of five minutes a game, while Calgary, the worst offenders, have squandered more than fifteen minutes a game. In ten games Saskatoon has lost sixty-four minutes; Victoria, 116 minutes in eleven games, and Portland 123 in eleven games.

Three Games Billed In City Basketball League for Tonight

Three basketball games are billed for tonight in the Victoria City League at the Bay Street Armories. In the men's C division the Navy will stack up against the 112th Battalion in what should turn out to be a good close game. The second tussle will see St. Andrew's and C.P.S. in action in another class C fixture. The Saints are at present leading their division, but the lumbermen are figuring on raising their standing a couple of points tonight, so the fans can rest assured that they will see some classy basketball. The final game will bring together the Y.M.C.A. and Cedar Hill. Both quintettes are at the top of their division with four points each and one defeat. Whichever team wins tonight's encounter will jump into the leadership of the class B league. The programme for tonight is as follows:

7:30—Class C: Navy vs. 112th Battalion.

8:15—Class C: St. Andrew's vs. C.P.S.

9:00—Class B: Y.M.C.A. vs. Cedar Hill.

Terris Wins Easily

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Sid Terris, New York, easily outpointed Lucien Vincez, of France, European lightweight champion, in the ten-round headliner at Madison Square Garden tonight. The Eastside dancing master won every round of an uninteresting fight.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

No reason was given for the cancellation of the big golf match which had been arranged between WALTER HAGEN and BOBBY JONES to take place on January 22, but the affair is off and doubt is being expressed that Jones and Hagen will meet during the Winter season.

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Personally the Old 'Un thinks that such a meeting, to decide who is the best golfer in the world (which is what it would be intended for) would be a big mistake.

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Hagen is a professional and plays golf for a living. Bobby Jones is an amateur and plays golf for the fun of it. Attempts have been made to get him to turn pro, but he is not taking any.

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The Old 'Un sees no harm at all in professional and amateur golfers playing together and taking part in the same tournaments, but in this particular case he considers that the parties have been wise to call it off.

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Hagen has everything to lose and comparatively little to win. Jones would add little to his prestige or his happiness by defeating Hagen and thus lowering his professional value.

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They are said to be great friends and probably prefer to remain so.

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Talking of professional golf there is some considerable anxiety just now among the rulers of the game as to the effects of the rivalry now started between different centres making a bid for publicity by offering huge purses for pros to compete for.

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A new type of pro has appeared on the scene in the last few years. Hagen is the most notable example of the type—and the most successful.

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Men of this type are not concerned with giving lessons and making clubs and the other drudgery of the old-fashioned golf pro and the rank and file of the pros of today, but they are concerned with perfecting their own playing ability to enable them to win the big purses now offered by a public which wants golf as a spectacle.

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But whether exhibition golf will ever be able to draw the money which professional boxing or baseball or football do is very doubtful.

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The average man or woman golfer today probably watches a big man perform with the clubs far more with the idea of trying to learn something to benefit his or her own game than for the pleasure of marveling at the professional's skill.

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And those who are not golfers would probably be bored stiff with the whole business.

Vets Will Play Nanaimo Sunday

Coast League Soccer Postponed From Today—Davenport Club Reorganized

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—The Pacific Coast League soccer game which was to be played here on Saturday afternoon between Nanaimo City and the Victoria Veterans, has been postponed until 2:30 p.m. Sunday, owing to the fact that the Vets found it impossible for all the members to get away from their work on Saturday, and by waiting over one day, will be able to field a much stronger team. On Sunday Tommy Dickinson will be back at his old position at right full-back, in place of Perry, who is being given a week's rest owing to an injured ankle. Dickie Stobbart will be playing centre forward temporarily, awaiting the arrival of Cowle from New Westminster, who is expected to be here within the next two weeks.

When Nanaimo meets Victoria on Sunday they will line-up as follows: Goal, Routledge; backs, Dickinson and Edmunds; half-backs, McFarlane (captain) and Knight; forwards, Wilson, Clarke, Stobbart, Appleby and Thompson.

Club Reorganized

Last night the Davenport Football Club reorganized, and elected officers for the season, and has entered in the Brackman-Ker Cup series. At the meeting of the Davenports, the following officers were elected:

President, P. Maffeo; vice-president, J. C. McGregor; secretary, Wm. McDonald; treasurer, Fred Vater; manager, Wm. Shepherd; assistant manager, Phil Piper; trainer, F. Phillips.

Tonight a meeting of the up-Island board will be held to draw up a schedule for the B. & K. Cup games. Nanaimo City has also entered this series, and with the prospect of the Up-Island League starting up again, everything looks rosy for a banner year of senior football on this end of the Island.

Stanley Dollar Buys Vernon Baseball Club

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—Stanley Dollar, vice-president of the Dollar Steamship Company, today purchased the Vernon Baseball Club, and will transfer it to San Francisco, to be known as the Mission Baseball Club. William H. McCarthy, former president of the Pacific Coast League, is to be the president of the new outfit. Negotiations for the sale were completed today by Herbert Fleishhacker, San Francisco banker, acting for Dollar.

Racing at Tijuana

TIJUANA, Mex., Jan. 8.—Results of racing here today follow:

First race, two furlongs—1, Colonel Seth, 119, Hastings, $3.00, $3.20, $3.60; 2, Short Price, 109, Kelsey, $5.20, $4.80; 3, Portola, 112, Burns, $8.00. Time, :23 2-5.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Furious Bill, 110, Paden, $8.60, $3.40, $3.20; 2, Miss Nantura, 102, Wallis, $3.00, $3.00; 3, Dorothy Pop, 109, Hay, $5.20. Time, :54 2-5.

Third race, five furlongs—1, Dry Joe, 108, Baker, $16.00, $6.80, $5.00; 2, Shasta Bally, 105, Neal, $3.20, $2.60; 3, Hypnotic, 110, Kelsey, $2.60. Time, 1:02.

Fourth race, one mile and one-eighth—1, Firth of Tay, 97, Wallis, $8.00, $4.40, $3.20; 2, Harry Maxim, 114, Baker, $6.00, $5.00; 3, Alamour, 105, Elston, $8.00. Time, 1:35 3-5.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Wolf's Cry, 114, Baker, $4.80, $4.00, $2.80; 2, Kilauea, 110, Burns, $10.60, $5.00; 3, Finis Glorious, 103, Neal, $4.00. Time, 1:07 1-5.

Sixth race, one mile and seventy yards—1, Not Enough, 103, Munden, $7.00, $3.40, $2.20; 2, Rachael Potter, 113, Buck, $4.40, $2.60; 3, Rockshell, 110, Burns, $2.20. Time, 1:44.

Seventh race, one mile less 220 feet—1, Crystal Boer, 105, Neal, $12.80, $5.40, $3.40; 2, El Roble, 98, Whitacre, $5.60, $3.40; 3, Green Springs, 104, Wallis, $2.60. Time, 1:36.

Eighth race, one mile—1, Belle K., 97, Neal, $14.40, $11.00, $4.00; 2, Lady Longridge, 97, Munden, $3.60, $2.80; 3, Tom Craven, 103, Sylvia, $2.60. Time, 1:42.

Overnight Entries

First race, six furlongs—Broncho Girl, 87; Range King, 97; Mr. Ruby, 104; Glenzar, 105; General Average, 105; No Wonder, 105; Darrell J., 107; Gold Boy, 107; Smart Horse, 109, Rose Roberts, 110; Green Gold, 109; Mouxie, 109; Good Time, 112; Gold Crump, 114; Phillipe Lugo, 114; Lawrence Manning, 114; Fleer, 114; Rapid Traveller, 117.

Second race, six furlongs—Daytime, 97; Rocksure, 104; Full Moon, 104; Etta D., 105; Lucky Lou, 105; Miss Nancy, 105; Yorklat, 105; Lastrangas, 105; Duc De Guise, 107; Berlin, 109; Midnight Belle, 109; Little Hope, 109; Vesper Bells, 109; Cuba, 110; Battle Bent, 110; Brazos, 110; Galleon, 113; Jack Ledi, 117.

Third race, six furlongs—Mushon, 90; Ninon, 95; Absent, 95; Billy Buck, 96; Marvellte, 97; Dixie Skies, 98; Pacifist, 98; Irish Jury, 100; Chick Belle, 102; Botonera, 102; San Carlos, 105; Grievance, 112; Supervisor, 114.

Fourth race, one mile and seventy yards—Shasta Donna, 82; Chiapas, 85; El Cid, 85; Wrackline, 97; Marion North, 100; Latisha, 102; El Roble, 106; Dumbfounder, 107; Bowsprit, 107; War Zone, 107; Chilliwack, 112; Composer, 113; St. Martins, 117.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs—Headache, 90; Escapader, 100; Lorena, 105; Marcella, 105; Edmon, 105; Deep Thoughts, 105; June Grass, 109.

Sixth race, one mile and one-eighth—Earl Coombs, 83; Lady Leonid, 105; Rockford, 110; Fathan, 112; Extra Edition, 112; Normana, 113; Be Frank, 120.

Seventh race, six furlongs—Confluente, 106; Tailteann, 106; Doctor K., 107; Quanah, 107; Farnell, 112; Picnic, 112; Good Times, 112; Knighthood, 115; Brother John, 118.

Eighth race, five and one-half furlongs—Star Dust, 104; St. Ardale, 105; Kidnapper, 111; Tea, 104; Ruth Gold, 106; Bardo, 111; Reporter, 111; Light Carbine, 111; Booze Beyer, 116.

ROUNDING THIRD

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CHAPTER XXXIII

The Star Who Always Handled Himself

In discussing the outfielders of baseball I want to begin with Ty Cobb. In Cobb we have the most temperamental and also the greatest of all ball players.

I first saw Cobb in the training camp at Augusta, Ga., in the Spring of 1907, when I went down to take charge of the Detroit team. He had played in forty-one games in 1905, the year that he joined the Detroit team, and in ninety-seven games the year following, so he still had to play a full season in the majors.

My first look at Cobb in batting practice told me that he could hit. He had the right way of going after a ball, the style that tips you off that a man is a hitter. He had fire and aggressiveness. Later I found that he had plenty of color and ambition. Anyone could see that Cobb was far from ordinary, but no man could guess how far removed he really was.

Also, during the first few days that I watched Cobb it was apparent to me that any attempt to harness him was going to bring about trouble. He had never worn a saddle; he had never had a bit between his teeth, figuratively speaking. He did not care for either. That was plain to me. I pictured difficulties ahead, but I decided to take my problem in hand and try to figure out some solution. I finally concluded from my observations of him that Cobb was one of those rare individuals who can best teach themselves. He would learn quickest by being his own schoolmaster, and I decided to appoint him that. I did not make my plans known to Cobb, ignoring him and letting him do as he pleased.

Mystery to Cobb

A few weeks of this, and Cobb appealed to a newspaper man traveling with the team. He said he could not understand why I instructed other players and never said anything to him. It was a mystery to him why I ignored him completely. He thought I acted as if he were not a member of the club. Maybe I had in mind sending him to the minors or trading him. He was smarting under the inattention.

I explained everything to the newspaperman, my observations, my conclusions and my resolutions. I was going to let Cobb handle himself, teach himself, guide himself.

About this time there was trouble between Cobb and some of the other players. They did not get along well. One day, during batting practice in Augusta, George Mullin was pitching and I was standing behind the pitcher's box. My attention was attracted to a scuffle in one corner of the outfield. Cobb and Charlie Schmidt, one of our catchers, were having a row. I went out and separated them. I thought the thing was ended, but apparently it was not, for a few days later Schmidt came to me and said that he was going to settle his differences with Cobb as soon as the team got out of Cobb's home State of Georgia.

They had it out in Meridian, Miss., on a clay playing field. Schmidt easily won this fight, and when the combatants were separated Cobb's face was cut from Schmidt's blows. I had left the hotel late that day, and on my way to the park I met Cobb, who was on his way back to the hotel. He was bleeding about the face. I asked Cobb what had happened, and he said Schmidt and he had had a fight and that Schmidt had won. I told him to go back to the hotel.

Called a Meeting

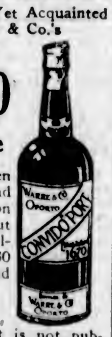
At the park Bill Donovan, who was in charge of the squad when I was not there, corroborated what Cobb had told me and that night I called a meeting of players. I informed them that Cobb was hot tempered and easily aroused to anger and that there was only one thing to do and that was to forget the past and live in peace in the future. They all agreed. After the meeting I called aside Bill Donovan, Charlie O'Leary, Bill Coughlin and Herman Schaefer and asked them to take Cobb to a show and try to convince him that the players were friendly to him. This they did and it straightened out matters for awhile. There were arguments after that at times but no more fist fights between Cobb and other members of the team.

I had decided to let Cobb teach himself and I stuck to this plan. I have wondered often since whether I pursued the right policy, but even today I believe if I had to do the same thing over again, I would pursue a similar course. Cobb was a law unto himself and by being permitted to work out all his own plays and plans, unhampered by any managerial restrictions that other players were under, he developed himself into the most remarkable ball players of all time. Still, permitting Cobb to do as he pleased made my job of managing the Detroit team the most difficult that any manager of that day had.

Cobb never attended morning practice. You can imagine how difficult it is to get other players to do something, disagreeable to them, if one is excused from this duty. They naturally rebelled; they constantly wanted to know why they had to get up in the morning and come to the park and sweat and work, when Cobb did not have to do it. Trying to keep them in line and prevent them from sulking required rare diplomacy and I am afraid that my limit for diplomacy was a bit under the required standard on numerous occasions.

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Judging of Rabbits Concluded Friday

Fine Exhibition Will Be Brought to a Close Today—Some of Awards Made

Judging in the rabbit classes at the show now in progress at the Willows Park was finished late yesterday, after strenuous work by the judge and the officials who managed the exhibition. The selection of honors among nearly 400 fine animals was no easy task, and many of the competitors had little to choose between them. It is believed that the exhibit will result in a direct stimulus to fur farming on the Island.

Additional awards are as follows:

Blue Beveren

Bucks, 3 to 6 months—1, Mrs. T. O. Bateson; 2, H. B. Purdy; 3, Mrs. H. M. Charter.

Does, 3 to 6 months—1 and 2, H. B. Purdy; 3, Mrs. T. O. Bateson.

Bucks, 6 to 9 months—1, W. J. Walker; 2, A. D. Oades; 3, Mrs. Bradley-Dyne.

Does, 6 to 9 months—1, H. B. Purdey; 2, Mrs. H. M. Charter; 3, Mrs. T. O. Bateson.

Bucks, 9 to 12 months—1, A. J. Cullen; 2, Mrs. Bradley-Dyne; 3, Mrs. H. M. Charter.

Does, 9 to 12 months—1, A. B. Van Decar; 2 and 3, A. J. Cullen.

Senior buck—1 and 3, Mrs. H. M. Charter; 2, F. C. Williams Freeman.

Senior doe—1, F. C. Williams Freeman; 2, H. B. Purdey; 3, Mrs. H. M. Charter.

Doe and litter—1, Mrs. H. M. Charter; 2, F. C. Williams Freeman; 3, Mrs. E. Miller.

New Zealand (White)

Buck, 3 to 6 months—1, A. D. Miles; 2, B. and E. Simmonds.

Does, 3 to 6 months—1, A. D. Miles; 2, B. & E. Simmonds.

Does, 6 to 9 months—1 and 2, B. and E. Simmonds.

Senior buck—1, A. D. Miles.

Children's Classes

Does, 3 to 6 months—1 and 2, Ruth M. Higgs.

New Zealand Red, senior buck—2, Master B. Darnell.

White Angora buck—1, Miss E. Whitehead; doe, 1, Miss E. Whitehead.

Imperial Blue, 3 to 6 months—Buck, 1, Miss Joan Boucher; doe, 1, Miss Joan Boucher.

Cavies

Abyssinian Boar and Sow—1, Douglas Hodgson.

Flemish Giant (Dark Steel)

Buck, 3 to 6 months—1, H. Spedding; 2, B. and E. Simmonds.

Doe, 3 to 6 months—1, B. and E. Simmonds.

Doe, 6 to 9 months—1, H. Spedding.

Buck, 9 to 12 months—1, H. Spedding.

Buck, 9 to 12 months—1, A. D. Miles.

Doe, 9 to 12 months—1, H. Spedding.

Senior buck—1, T. S. Clarke.

Senior doe—1, H. Spedding.

Chequered Giants

Doe, 3 to 6 months—1, T. S. Clarke.

Doe, 9 to 12 months—2, Mr. Tyler.

Senior buck—1, T. S. Clarke; 2, Mrs. Bradley Dyne.

Senior doe—1, Mrs. Bradley Dyne.

Black Dutch

Doe, 6 to 9 months—1, Douglas Hodgson.

Blue Dutch

Doe, 6 to 9 months—1, Douglas Hodgson.

Polish

Buck, 9 to 12 months—1, H. B. Purdey.

Giant Belgian Hares

Doe, 3 to 6 months—2 and 3, B. and E. Simmonds.

New Zealand Red

Doe, 9 to 12 months—1 and 2, B. and E. Simmonds.

Flemish Giants (Natural Grey)

Bucks, 3 to 6 months—1, T. T. Clarke; 2, H. Spedding.

Does, 3 to 6 months—1, H. Spedding.

Does, 6 to 9 months—H. Spedding.

Bucks, 9 to 12 months—1, H. Spedding; 2, A. B. Van Decar.

Senior bucks—1, H. Spedding; 2, R. A. Cunningham.

Senior does—1, T. T. Clarke; 2, W. Miller Higgs & Son; 3, A. B. Van Decar.

Doe and litter—1, A. B. Van Decar.

Flemish Giants (Light Steel)

Bucks, 3 to 6 months—1, T. T. Clarke; 2, H. Spedding.

Does, 3 to 6 months—1 and 3, T. T. Clarke; 3 and 4, A. A. Cunningham.

Bucks, 9 to 12 months—1, T. T. Clarke.

Senior does—1, T. T. Clarke; 2, A. D. Miles.

Flemish Giants (Black)

Does, 3 to 6 months—1 and 2, B. and E. Simmonds; 3, A. B. Van Decar.

Does, 6 to 9 months—3, A. D. Miles.

Silver Black

Senior doe—1, T. S. Clarke.

Playing Today For Milton Cup

Three Soccer Games on Schedule of First Round for New Football Trophy

The first games in the Milton Cup series are to be played by local soccer teams today as follows:

Sons of England vs. James Island, at Central Park; referee, Payne.

Victoria Wests vs. United Services, at Beacon Hill; referee, Stokes.

Esquimalt vs. Victoria United, at Victoria West Park; referee, McMillan.

This trophy, given by C. V. Milton, is to be played for on the league system, with each club meeting each other club once, and a play-off if necessary to decide a tie at the end of the schedule. Line-ups are announced as follows:

James Island—J. Rodger; J. Lynch and R. Todd; E. Rivers, T. Robb and F. Aldous; W. Coopsie, L. Ross, G. Goldie, A. W. Inglis and F. Morri. Reserves, I. Dixon and F. Barrie.

Victoria Wests—Whyte; Copas and Dunn; Passmore, Thomas and Popham; Sherrett, Mulcahy, Peden, Wright and Butler.

Sons of England—Holman; Tuckwell and Armitage; R. Shanks, Swan and Harwood; Connorton, Southern, Quainton, Richardson and Thomas. Reserves, Dryborough and Cull.

Victoria United—Hogan; Harper and Newlands; Taylor, Essler and Aiken; Bighein, Auchinvole, Saville, Groves and Lewell.

Esquimalt—Nichol; Watt and Hood; Hosmer, Hay and Roe; Stewart, Watt, T. Watt, Warren and Davis.

Junior Game

The Esquimalt juniors play the High School in a league match at Heywood Road ground, Beacon Hill, at 2:30 p.m. The Esquimalt line-up will be: Chalmers or Banks; Sweeney and Wagland; Hamer, Cochrane and Smith; Thompson, Bain, Burnett, Rickenson and Williams. Reserves, Ricketts and Newberry.

English Cue Expert Gains on McMillan

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—Giving a wonderful display at the evening session on the fifth day of the 8,000 point billiard match being played here, Stanley Newman, English cueist, outpointed Jack McMillan, Canadian champion, to such an extent, that at the close of play he had wiped out the advantage McMillan gained on Thursday and was only 354 points in arrears with two more blocks to be played. The closing scores: McMillan (receives 2,500) 7,022; Newman (in play) 6,668.

At the first eight visits to the table in the evening Newman scored over 500 points to McMillan's 40.

High breaks of the day were 172, 135, 120, 75, 69 and 56 unfinished by Newman, and 105, 92, 75, 65, 62, 59 and 50 by McMillan.

Several Soccer Teams Weakened by Injuries

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Reports today indicated that practically all the clubs participating in the third round of the English Football Association Cup competitions are ready for the battle, though a number will not be able to put in their strongest squads. Several teams have men on the injured list and will have to use their best substitutes.

Boucher Is Reinstated

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—Billy Boucher, who was suspended after the Canadiens-Montreal game at the Forum last Wednesday for an attack on Umpire Russell, has been reinstated by Frank Calder, president of the N. H. L., and will play with the Canadiens when they meet the New York Americans here Saturday.

Andy Smith Dead

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8.—Andy Smith, coach of the University of California football team, died here today.

Welsh Team Picked For International Rugby

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The second of the international rugby series will be played on Saturday, January 16, when England and Wales clash. The teams were selected yesterday, the Welshmen being: Full back, D. Evans, Swansea; three-quarters, Andrews, Newport; Stock, Newport; Cornish, Cardiff; and R. Harding, Swansea; halves, Delahay, Cardiff; R. Jones, Northampton; forwards, Lawrence, Bridgend; Jenkins, Treorchy; Herra, Crosskeys; Hinan, Cardiff; John, Swansea; D. Jones, Newport; Phillips, Aberavon; and Hopkins, Swansea.

Senator Ross to Lead Senate Conservatives

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—Hon. W. B. Ross, Senator for Cape Breton, was today elected leader of the Conservative Party in the Senate. Senator Ross succeeds the late Sir James Lougheed, who died several months ago. The new Conservative leader in the Senate is a member of the Nova Scotia bar, and has successfully practised in Halifax. He was summoned to the Senate on November 20, 1912. He was a member of the parliamentary delegation which visited Great Britain and the war area in 1916.

Late Saanich Health Officer Scores Health Centre Policy

Dr. R. L. Miller Urges Abandonment of "Inefficient and Uneconomical Administration"—Disagrees With Council on Method of Managing Institution

That it is his opinion "that the whole Health Centre policy should be abandoned, it being inefficient and uneconomical," is the summary of the case by Dr. R. L. Miller, recently retired by the Saanich Council from the office of Medical Officer of Health.

This statement appears at the end of a lengthy document on the question which was filed with the council, but has never hitherto become public. In view of the interest taken in the forthcoming plebiscite by the public, The Colonist has obtained a copy of the report filed by Dr. Miller when in office, from which is given some of the salient points.

Dr. Miller warned the Saanich Council against allowing any public health activity to be countenanced in the district except by persons directly responsible to or approved by the council sitting as a local board of health.

He complains that many "thousands of dollars of the municipal funds are being annually spent, such expenditure not being under your control."

He remonstrates, as Medical Officer of Health, at the misconception caused in the minds of some people by mixing up the Health Centre with the statutory responsibilities placed upon him by the law as a public official. He asserts this confusion is a real menace, as prevention of spread of contagious diseases depends upon early notification to the Medical Health Officer.

"Misdirected Patriotism"

"The building itself," said Dr. Miller, "is the result of patriotic feeling misdirected, but never intended for the use to which it is at present being used.

"The policy of the Centre was apparently controlled by a body representative of various interests, and presumably being guided by the National Order of the Victorian Order of Nurses. Various functions were assumed for which other legally constituted boards are responsible.

"The Centre was utilized by the Provincial Board of Health for activities that have no direct bearing upon this municipality," he says.

"The National body of the Victorian Order of Nurses was for a long time distinctly dissatisfied with the policy and conduct of this Centre, and being unable to repress the activities which caused their disapproval, they withdrew their support and disallowed the use of their name. Upon the withdrawal of the Victorian Order of Nurses we find the Provincial Board of Health taking an active part in formulation of the Centre's policies."

Home for Nurses

Dr. Miller declares that "the criticism that the Centre has become a home for nurses is not entirely without justification, inasmuch as that is the chief use to which it is being put," and he considers the overhead cost too great.

He asserts that "nothing is gained by having the school nurse domiciled in this home, and her complete control by the school board is highly desirable."

Dental Work

Dr. Miller, discussing dental work, criticizes the practice of the nurse for schools occupying her time in making appointments for the dentist, and transferring the children to the Centre. He suggests alternatively that the dental equipment should be set up in a school, and completing the work school by school, together with a proper dental survey.

"The work of the district nurses should be under the Victorian Order of Nurses, and I have been most reliably informed that in the event of the Health Centre being abolished, the Victorian Order of Nurses would upon request place as many nurses in Saanich as the need required."

He argued further that the employment of nurses in a widely scattered section like Saanich should be divided, saving mileage in travel. Such service should be partly self-supporting, and a small fee, except in indigent cases.

He continues: "The few patients at present cared for by the Centre do not justify the maintenance of a staff with such costly overhead expense."

Dr. Miller further complains that the Health Centre instead of himself has been notified in cases of infectious disease owing to the fact that some residents believed it to be the central board of health, leading to much confusion.

Marylebone husband: My wife is never happy except when she is standing in a queue; it is a habit with her.

Willesden complainant: The defendant is over there, and he can contradict me if he likes, but I say he is quite a decent, peaceable man.

The largest sturgeon ever landed at Lowestoft was sold recently for £45. It measured 11 feet four inches, and weighed a quarter of a ton.

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Island Should Extend Butter Exportations

R.M.S.P. Official Believes Vancouver Island Has Splendid Opportunity on English Market

Early Spring Bookings

Mr. F. G. Solloway, general passenger agent for the Royal Mail Steam Packet Line in Vancouver and formerly of the freight department, strongly advocated the organization of a creamery association on Vancouver Island and a fruit-growers' association, so that this Island could take a fair share in the business being offered in the Old Country.

Mr. Solloway, who is visiting local booking agents here, believed that Vancouver Island farmers could expand their export business if they organized. There was no reason why Island butter could not compete with the Alberta butter on the English market, he said. The province of Alberta, he pointed out, was at a disadvantage compared with Vancouver Island, inasmuch that it had to haul its butter to this Coast, which made extra freight charges in the initial stages of the export. The exportation of apples and other fruits from Vancouver Island to England should also be built up, he said.

Speaking of the passenger traffic from Victoria and the Island, Mr. Solloway said that local booking agents were very optimistic over the early Spring bookings. Many were interested in the travel via the Panama Canal by R.M.S.P. liners.

In connection with the transatlantic travel, Mr. Solloway pointed out that the Orduna, Orca, Ohio and Orbita were now calling at Halifax, as well as New York, and that this new departure was a great success, as there were those who would like to travel by way of the R.M.S.P. Line, but did not favor the immigration formalities at New York.

The electric eel, the most powerful of electric fishes, is not an eel but a close relative of the sucker or carp.

GULF ISLANDS WINTER SERVICE

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Mar. 5 ..... Metagama
To Cherbourg-Southampton-Antwerp
Feb. 17, Mar. 12 ..... Marloch
Apr. 16 ..... Melita
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Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1926.

JANUARY

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	8:06	4:27	17	8:00	4:47
2	8:06	4:28	18	7:59	4:49
3	8:06	4:29	19	7:58	4:50
4	8:06	4:30	20	7:57	4:52
5	8:06	4:31	21	7:56	4:53
6	8:06	4:32	22	7:55	4:55
7	8:06	4:33	23	7:54	4:56
8	8:06	4:34	24	7:53	4:58
9	8:06	4:35	25	7:52	4:59
10	8:06	4:37	26	7:51	5:01
11	8:04	4:38	27	7:50	5:02
12	8:04	4:40	28	7:49	5:04
13	8:03	4:41	29	7:47	5:05
14	8:03	4:43	30	7:46	5:07
15	8:02	4:44	31	7:45	5:08
16	8:01	4:46			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
JANUARY

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1	6:15	8.8	10:44	8.2	12:38	8.9	23:00	2.9
2	6:49	8.8	11:49	8.2	13:57	9.2	23:37	2.2
3	8:52	8.7						
4	0:11	2.9	8:48	8.7				
5	0:41	2.7	9:59	8.7				
6	1:06	2.6	9:18	8.7				
7	1:34	2.6	2:38	8.7	17:10	2.4	22:09	2.9
8	1:22	2.7	2:53	3.9	17:41	4.2		
9					10:21	9.2	18:13	2.6
13					10:45	2.6	18:49	2.3
11					11:13	2.9	19:31	1.7
12					11:43	3.2	20:14	1.0
13					12:24	10.2	20:59	0.9
14	2:16	8.6	8:27	3.4	13:27	10.2	21:27	0.4
15	3:31	8.2	9:20	8.6	13:54	9.9	22:12	0.7
16	5:49	8.7	10:23	7.9	14:46	9.3	23:02	1.3
17	7:14	8.8	11:59	7.3	15:46	8.6	23:48	2.3
18	7:41	8.2	12:54	2.8	19:58	7.7		
19	0:24	2.3	8:02	8.8	14:19	9.2	18:41	
20	1:19	4.6	8:28	3.1	13:35	2.2	20:52	0.2
21	1:53	6.2	2:03	9.1	19:34	4.6		
22					9:38	9.2	17:31	2.8
23					10:07	9.4	18:29	2.2
24					10:27	2.4	19:22	2.7
25					11:06	9.4	12:40	2.3
26	3:43	3.9	7:08	8.9	12:40	9.4	20:14	2.0
27	6:59	8.9	8:02	8.8	13:12	9.2	22:45	1.9
28	2:26	8.8	8:21	8.9	12:45	9.1	21:17	1.9
29	2:43	6.7	2:37	8.8	13:19	8.9	21:49	2.2
30	7:12	2.8	12:22	9.9	12:59	2.6	22:24	2.6
31	7:16	8.4	11:09	7.7	14:39	8.2	23:01	3.3

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Enquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 13.2 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Motor Princess Will Run May 1

Vessel to Carry Automobiles Across Gulf Will Run for Five Months

The schedule for the Motor Princess, which will be placed in the Vancouver-Nanaimo run, was issued from the office of the B.C. Coast Service yesterday.

The vessel will be placed in service on May 1, and will be continued until September 30. It will be used for carrying cars to and from the Mainland, a service which has become of increasing importance in the last few Summers.

The motor ferry will leave Vancouver at seven o'clock in the morning, and after discharging at Nanaimo, will leave the Island port at 10:15 o'clock. The second daily sailing out of Vancouver will be made at 1:45 o'clock, and from Nanaimo back to Vancouver at 5 o'clock.

This schedule will be quite independent of the sailings of the Princess Patricia in the regular service.

Shipping Notes

After completing a record voyage from Sydney to Victoria, the Canadian-Australasian liner Aorangi was delayed by fog in English Bay, and did not dock at Vancouver until 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Aorangi arrived here Thursday afternoon.

Sailing from Toronto November 14 with a heavy cargo for discharge at this port, the steamer Torhamvan has at last been heard from. She is reported due here January 11 or 12. This vessel belongs to the Kirkwood Line, and is the only ship operating between the Great Lakes and Western Canada.

SAILINGS to Europe

Halifax-Plymouth-Cherbourg-Hamburg
Arabic ..... Jan. 8

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New York-Queenstown-Liverpool
Celtic ..... Jan. 16, Feb. 13, Mar. 13
Cedric ..... Jan. 20, Feb. 27, Mar. 27
Baltic ..... Feb. 6, Mar. 4, Apr. 3
Doric ..... Feb. 20, Mar. 20, ...
New York-Cherbourg-Southampton
Majestic ..... Jan. 16, Mar. 13, Apr. 3
Olympic ..... Feb. 6, Feb. 27, Mar. 27
Homeric ..... Apr. 10, May 1, May 22
Portland-Halifax-Liverpool
Regina .....Feb. 1 Doric .....Feb. 22*
Canada .....Mar. 2 Doric .....Mar. 22*
Canada ..... Apr. 10
*From Halifax only, via Queenstown
RED STAR LINE
New York-Plymouth-Cherbourg-Antwerp
Zeeland .....Jan. 30, Mar. 6, May 8
Pittsburgh .....Feb. 13, Mar. 20, Apr. 17
Belgenland .....Apr. 10, May 29, June 23
ATLANTIC TRANSPORT LINE
New York-Cherbourg-London
Minnetonka .....Jan. 16, Feb. 13, Mar. 13
Minnewaska .....Jan. 20, Feb. 27, Mar. 27
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Silk Checkers Here for Liner

Will Proceed to Seattle on Board Arabia Maru Checking Record Silk Cargo

Silk checkers arrived from Seattle yesterday to await the arrival of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Arabia Maru, due here at noon today from Japan with a record silk cargo. These checkers will go up to Seattle on the Arabia Maru, checking over the manifest. Before the departure of the ship long-distance telephone communication will be established and important matters dealing with this shipment of silk will be given to the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway officials.

Two trains, of twenty cars each, await the arrival of the Arabia Maru in Seattle to rush the 10,124 bales of raw silk and 100 tons of silk goods to New York. Special armed guards will be placed on each train. The value of the silk shipment on the Arabia Maru is placed at $11,000,000.

There are sixteen passengers on board for Victoria, while for Seattle there are seven first class and nineteen steerage passengers. The mail for Victoria amounts to 177 sacks and fourteen for the aircraft.

Mangled Body of Newspaper Boy Found On Street at Toronto

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—With the neck broken and a deep gash in the head, the body of William Merchant, fourteen-year-old newspaper carrier, was found last night lying beside the curb on King Street West. His bicycle was found a mass of scrap iron, a few feet from the body. Police are searching the city for the motorist who struck the boy and then fled. An automobile hub cap, found near the body, may help the police in their search.

A reward of $500 has been offered by Ralph Connable, as a private citizen, for the capture of the unknown autoist whose machine ran the boy down.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 8.—Arrived: Roman Star, Tacoma; Remus, Iquique; Herman Frasch, Galveston; Dan F. Hanlon, San Francisco; Warwick, San Pedro; J. R. Gordon, Aberdeen. Sailed: Rose City, San Francisco; Everett, San Pedro.

TACOMA, Jan. 8.—Arrived: Toyama Maru, Kobe; Contra Costa, Point Wells. Sailed: Contra Costa, Point Wells; Jane Nettleton, San Pedro; Dorothy Luckenbach, Boston; Northland, San Francisco.

SEATTLE, Jan. 8.—Arrived: Katrina Luckenbach, Oduna, Portland; J. A. Moffatt, Arasa, Admiral Schley, George Allen, San Francisco; Mystic, Columbia River; Quinault, Chemainus, B.C.; Makawell, Port Angeles; Dorothy Luckenbach, Tacoma. Sailed: Doylestown, Port Angeles; Astoria, Los Angeles; Thomas P. Beal, Bellingham; West Ison, Everett.

KETCHIKAN, Jan. 8.—Sailed: Alameda, southbound.

VALDEZ, Jan. 8.—Sailed: Admiral Watson, southbound.

WRANGELL, Jan. 8.—Sailed: Alameda, southbound.

CORDOVA, Jan. 8.—Sailed: Admiral Watson, southbound.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—Arrived: E. D. Kingsley, Powell River; El Segundo, Port Alberni; Anne Hanify, Astoria; Ruth Alexander, San Pedro. Sailed: Franklyn, Pollyanna, Vancouver; Admiral Dewey, San Pedro.

Arrived

SHANGHAI, Jan. 8.— Alabama Maru, Seattle.

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 6.—West Jessup, Portland.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 7.—Anniston City, San Francisco.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—La Marseilles, Pacific Commerce, San Francisco.

CRISTOBAL, Jan. 7.—Elizabeth Maersk, Charleston for Vancouver.

Sailed

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Pennsylvanian, San Francisco; Henry S. Grove, Portland.

WELLINGTON, Jan. 5.—Tahiti, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 8.— President Jefferson, Seattle.

WIRELESS REPORT

Estevan, 8 P.M., January 8

Bamona, Balboa for San Pedro, 500 miles from San Pedro.

London Merchant, bound San Francisco, noon, 830 miles from San Francisco.

West Jappa, San Pedro for Boston, noon, 595 miles from San Pedro.

Unkai Maru No. 12, Yokohama for Vancouver, 600 miles from Estevan.

Deroche, Port San Louis for Vancouver, 145 miles from Vancouver.

Mina Brea, San Pedro for Vancouver, 175 miles from Vancouver.

Rose City, Portland for San Francisco, 14 miles south of Columbia River.

Kaifarli, Eureka for Tacoma, 108 miles from Tacoma.

City of Naples, Portland for San Francisco.

Storviken, Shanghai for Vancouver, 476 miles from Victoria.

Waiotupu, Union Bay for San Francisco, 97 miles from San Francisco.

Tyndareus, Victoria for Yokohama, 400 miles from Victoria.

Artemesia, Victoria for Shanghai, 730 miles from Estevan.

Canadian Highlander, Swansea for Victoria, 272 miles from Victoria.

Barana, Newcastle for San Francisco, 1,510 miles from San Francisco.

Cathwood, bound Astoria, crossing bar at 10:20 p.m.

Torhamvan, Montreal for Victoria, 990 miles from Victoria.

Weather Report

Estevan—Overcast; northwest, ten miles; 30.39; 41; light swell.

Pachena—Part cloudy; calm; 30.36; 43; light swell.

Alert Bay—Clear; calm; 30.38; 45; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—cloudy; southeast fresh; 30.27; 52; moderate sea.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; northwest; sea smooth.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, Jan. 4, arrived Avonmouth.

Canadian Highlander, Dec. 23, left Panama Canal for Victoria.

Canadian Importer, Dec. 29, left Panama Canal for Victoria.

Canadian Inventor, Dec. 30, left Panama for Vancouver.

Canadian Pioneer, Dec. 18, left Vancouver for Florida.

Canadian Planter, Jan. 1, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Skirmisher, Dec. 30, left Glasgow for Victoria.

Canadian Ranger, Dec. 1, left Panama Canal for Southampton.

Canadian Seigneur, Jan. 5, arrived Dalhartou.

Canadian Transporter, Dec. 24, left Vancouver for Halifax.

Canadian Winner, Dec. 20, arrived Antwerp.

Canadian Coaster, Jan. 5, arrived Ocean Falls.

Canadian Farmer, Dec. 17, arrived Prince Rupert.

Canadian Observer, Jan. 2, left Astoria for San Pedro.

Canadian Rover, Jan. 4, left San Francisco for Vancouver.

Canadian Trooper, Dec. 23, left Victoria for Tampa, Florida.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Arabia Maru, from Orient, January 9.

President McKinley, from Orient, January 10.

Iyo Maru, from Orient, January 13.

President Jefferson, from Orient, January 23.

Atago Maru, from Orient, January 24.

Empress of Asia, from Orient, January 28.

Shidzuoka Maru, from Orient, February 3.

President Grant, from Orient, February 4.

Niagara, from Australia, February 5.

Alabama Maru, from Orient, February 6.

Empress of Canada, from Orient, February 8.

To Sail

President Jackson, for Orient, January 10.

Aorangi, for Australia, January 13.

President McKinley, for Orient, January 22.

Arabia Maru, for Orient, January 24.

Iyo Maru, for Orient, January 27.

President Jefferson, for Orient, February 3.

Empress of Asia, for Orient, February 3.

Niagara, for Australia, February 10.

Shidzuoka Maru, for Orient, February 17.

Alabama Maru, for Orient, February 23.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

JANUARY, 1926

China and Japan

President Jackson — Mails close Jan. 10, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Jan. 22; Shanghai, Jan. 27; Hong Kong, Jan. 31.

Toyama Maru—Mails close Jan. 15, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Feb. 2.

President McKinley—Mails close Jan. 22, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Feb. 3; Shanghai, Feb. 8; Hong Kong, Feb. 12.

Arabia Maru—Mails close Jan. 24, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Feb. 9.

Achilles—Mails close Jan. 28, 12 m. Due at Yokohama, Feb. 11.

Australia and New Zealand

Ventura (via San Francisco)—Mails close Jan. 9, 4 p.m. Due Sydney, Feb. 2.

Aorangi (direct)—Mails close Jan. 13, 5 p.m. Due Auckland, Feb. 1; Sydney, Feb. 6.

Tahiti (via San Francisco)—Mails close Jan. 24, 4 p.m. Due Wellington, Feb. 15; Sydney, Feb. 20.

Sierra (via San Francisco)—Mails close Jan. 30, 4 p.m. Due Sydney, Feb. 23.

Notice To Mariners

Mariners are notified that drilling operations on Hospital Rock, Victoria Harbor, B.C., have been suspended and the plant will be withdrawn for approximately two weeks.

The unwatched red light, which was removed during drilling operations, will be again exhibited from the buoy.

A fixed white light will also be shown from the pile dolphin driven on the edge of the channel.

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Mr. Frank Bew Is Promoted to San Francisco

Vancouver Manager of Thomas Cook & Sons Now Branch Manager at San Francisco

Mr. D. M. Blair Successor

Mr. Frank Bew, manager for Thomas Cook & Sons at Vancouver, has been promoted to be branch manager of the same travel bureau at San Francisco, it was learned here yesterday on a visit of the Vancouver manager to this city. Mr. D. M. Blair, who was formerly a booking agent with Thomas Cook & Sons, in New York, has been promoted to be manager of the Vancouver branch office. Mr. Bew introduced Mr. Blair to the Victoria booking agents this afternoon before proceeding to Seattle.

Mr. Bew started in the transportation business as a clerk in the London office of Thomas Cook & Sons twenty years ago, and was later promoted to the New York office. He went overseas during the war, winning the commission of lieutenant in the Royal Garrison Artillery. After the war he was appointed manager of the Vancouver office, which position is now being taken over by Mr. Blair, who also started with Thomas Cook & Sons, at the Edinburgh office.

Mr. Blair said that some 400 passengers have been booked on the liner Franconia for the world cruise which started eastbound from New York on January 4. The slogan of this cruise is "Follow Spring Around the World."

The Homeric will sail from New York on January 23 on a two months' cruise of the Mediterranean, while the California will sail from New York on July 1 on a similar cruise. For this latter journey, special popular rates have been arranged, the new manager stated.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

William Heughan

Sir,—William Heughan, interpreter and singer of British song, who will be remembered here for a lifetime, has gone forward across Canada. His magnetic personality and magnificent voice have brought very near to everyone who heard him the deep, underlying value to the British race, of the old English, Scottish, Welsh and Irish songs with their sentiment and meaning.

What Heughan is doing in the Empire under the auspices of the Burns' Federation of London is but one important, educative phase of the splendid work which is being carried on by that body. Heughan is doing this work in the same spirit in which he fought, with a deep-seated purpose in view, to forge the bonds of Empire still more firmly together.

Might we ask everyone who realizes this is so, and all who heard him sing are surely included, to place in their letters to friends in Canada and elsewhere their knowledge and surety that they also will understand when they have the privilege of hearing William Heughan sing and interpret.

W. HASTIE COCHRANE,
JOHN HOSIE,
President Burns' Club.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 8, 1926.

Mr. George Wetherell

Sir,—Mr. Fuller's tribute to the late George Wetherell is altogether admirable. The writer of this very inadequate letter passed many profitable hours at "The Cottage Book Store," and during all that time never heard George Wetherell make one ungenerous or unkind remark. His profound love and belief in his fellowman was astounding. His love for the poets, English classics, works on evolution and knowledge of Holy Writ, was probably unsurpassed.

It goes without saying that the discords amongst the churches were a painful thing for the great heart of George Wetherell, his love for the commonweal was such that he felt the run of ordinary people—and there are so many of them—were being led astray by blind leaders, spiritually blind leaders. Sympathy was a characteristic and the tone of this communication indicates how keenly he felt, whereby, thousands of innocent and simple believers were deprived of all ethical sustenance and spiritual food. All these, like sheep, have gone astray. He suffered fools kindly and with a gentle tolerance; great and abounding charity was one of his most endearing traits.

The Platonic-pulpit churchman found his way to "The Cottage Book Store" on Fort Street. Some types could hardly be termed whole-hoggers; they flirted with doctrines opposed to the principles contained in the Thirty-nine Articles which bound them to the cause of consecration, inspired by faith. George Wetherell understood all yearnings, a quest for knowledge, the feeling to gratify an innate curiosity, a halo of quiet calm satisfied all queries. Rebuke seldom left his lips.

The earnest seekers of knowledge and the lofty Athenians who patronized the sanctuary, the Rationalist, philosopher—call him what you will—he sent them all away full of good things.

The cheap and insinuating formalists and religious Perkin Warbecks came and tasted, visitors of variable uncertainty repelled themselves, "malgre eux"; they rarely encumbered the atmosphere.

George Wetherell's leonine aspect belied the mature forces which swayed the man of intellectual life.

His was a deft touch—if the term is appropriate—it brought to mind the elephants at work in a Burmese teak yard, depositing, arranging and squaring their loads, leaving no loose ends to be retrimmed at the gesture of the mahout.

Sincerity prevailed within the sanctuary, all things were lawful, all things were not expedient, no imposed limit, an unsaid law governed by an unsaid law, written in the books.

"The Cottage Book Store" was holy ground, decent and in order, ribaldry and eloquent blasphemy found no place within its precincts.

The passing of George Wetherell has temporarily clouded the lights; his departure has left the unfaithful still seeking solution for the serious problem of life; the life of the hereafter can be left to the Father of All Mercies.

We remain for a little while "resplendent strangers," on the threshold of eternity, whose ultimate destinies, intended for all humanity, the material mind cannot fathom; it is enough for the faithful to be faithful to life itself . . . . such an exemplar was George Wetherell.

Professor Blackie's lines contained the confession of faith of the Rationalist we mourn today:

"On me nor Priest, nor Presbyter, nor Pope,
Bishop nor Dean may stamp a party name;
But Jesus, with His largely human scope,
The service of my human life may claim.
Let prideful priests do battle about creeds,
The Church is mine that does most Christlike deeds."

DANVERS OSBORN.

1056 Richmond Avenue, Victoria, B.C., January 8, 1926.

The Kaiser Interviews

Sir,—"En toute chose consideres les origines."—Ernest Renan. (Look to the root of things.") This is exactly what the ex-Kaiser does not do. The following cardinal points will illustrate my meaning.

In 1896-1897, Great Britain and the United States were brought together diplomatically over the question of Venezuela, out of which a closer international understanding between these two great powers arose concerning the affairs of the world in general. This was shortly to be followed by the policy of the United States towards Spain, in the misgovernment of her islands in close touch with American commerce and in which Britain acquiesced and through which Britain, the United States, and probably France, came to some mutual understanding that in the event of powerful nations going to war, efforts should be made with a view to localizing the theatre of disturbances as far as possible. The development of this understanding between at least three great powers grew side by side with the Spanish-American War, the South African War and, later, the Russo-Japanese War. By the time the latter war had been fought and settled the strength of this policy of confining the area of disturbance had become very apparent. It will thus be seen that whatever "Gentlemen's Agreement" may have been brought about between at least three of these great powers, it was not in any way aimed at aggression of any sort, but mainly a sound and practical attempt to localize war. There can be no other meaning to it. Many subsequent events prove positively the genuine honesty of a practical praiseworthy precedent.

The closing years of the nineteenth century found Germany freed from the anti-colonial policy of Bismarck, and Germany's hunger for colonial expansion grew apace. The Spanish-American War seemingly offered her a great opportunity, but at the time of Admiral Dewey's occupation of Manila Bay Germany found herself up against a very real thing, in the international policy already referred to which was interpreted, to Admiral von Diedrichs, in such words as "this is now your funeral," or "Paws off Pompey." Germany, of course, in this case, "kicking against the pricks," naturally found Britain standing beside the United States, not as mere allies in a war, but as propagandists of a principle to prevent the evils of war spreading beyond preventable limits. It certainly hampered Germany's freedom of action. If Germany had been left out of this International agreement the reason will be found in two facts, namely, that it was an agreement between maritime powers in the first instance, and Germany had at the time no navy to speak of; and again, Germany's actions at these times of war were inclined to show that she could not give her adherence to such policy, as her inclinations seemed to be to meddle in other people's troubles and gain advantages out of them. In the first place, Germany showed her aggressive propensities over the methods she adopted in the annexation of Kiev Chao, then the episode of Manila Bay, and again an episode which spans these two events, but the separate incidents form one continual happening, the ex-Kaiser's telegram to Kruger and his and Germany's attitude during and before the South African War.

So soon after Locarno it is best to let sleeping dogs lie, and so one does not labor the point, and on that account criticism in detail of all the points raised by the ex-Kaiser would be out of place. There is no intention here of keeping controversy open, but the expressions of the ex-Kaiser and some of his Hearst press quotations might keep alive the memory of old and bitter sores. The articles which have appeared in The Victoria Colonist this week from January 3-7 do not agree with fundamentals. They do not go to the root of things in so far as they concern the International policy covered by the ex-Kaiser's term, "Gentleman's Agreement."

It happened to be my lot to be quartered in Bermuda at the time that the Venezuela question was under consideration, and later in Hong Kong during the Spanish-American War, where I had the opportunity of visiting Manila at the time that some of these things were happening, and in South Africa during and after the South African War when much came to light during the period of repatriation of the Boers. In Hong Kong I was intimately acquainted with airmen, naval officers, with some of whom I enjoyed games of polo, etc., some of whom have since enjoyed high commands and fallen in the war. From observations I have been able to make the outline I have given of the International agreement is from what I have been able to observe at first hand; if there has been anything secret about it it has only been in the best cause, and the more it comes to light the better. I do not say I have given the beginnings or endings of these international agreements, but I think here is the general tenor of them.

C. B. SIMONDS, Lt.-Colonel.

Box 1124, Victoria, B.C., January 7, 1926.

Jennie: "George, it says in this paper that another octogenarian's dead. What's an octogenarian?"

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Finance and Commerce

Higher Rate Makes Stocks Feel Nervous

Reserve Bank Action Sends Market Down — Motors Sold Heavily—Bonds Also Uneasy

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Extreme nervousness resulting from the unexpected increase in the New York Federal Reserve rediscount rate characterized the trading in today's stock market. Prices reacted 1 to 4 points at the opening, recovered about half of their losses before the end of the first hour, turned weak again in the early afternoon and then rallied again toward the close.

While the higher rediscount rate will provide a check on speculative stock market activities, bankers pointed out that credit conditions were sound and that a plentiful supply of funds at relatively low rates was still available for legitimate business enterprises.

Motors were heavily sold at the opening. Hudson dropped more than 4 points to 118 on the first sale, later rallied as high as 121¾ and then slipped back to 119⅜, off 1⅝.

General Electric soared more than 7 points to 336½ and closed just below the top.

Rails as a group did not attract much attention although Norfolk & Western touched a new record high at 154⅞ and Pennsylvania approached within a fraction of its peak price.

Call money held steady at 4 per cent. Time money was unchanged.

Total sales were 2,138,900 shares.

Uneasiness created by the advance in the New York Federal Reserve bank rate unsettled the bond market without seriously weakening the underlying price structure. The increase at this time came as a surprise and unquestionably led to hurried liquidation of a few speculative accounts.

	High	Low	Bid
Allis Chalmers	82-4	82	82-1
Allied Chemical	117-7	112	117-4
Am. Beet Sugar	34-5	34-5	34-3
Am. Bosch Mag.	31-4	31-4	31-4
Am. Can.	234-5	230	232-4
Am. Car & Fdy.	113	103	115
Am. Intl. Corp.	44	43-3	43-7
Am. Linseed	56-2	56-2	56-5
Am. Locomotive	117-1	117-1	117-1
Am. Smelters	143-7	142	143-4
Am. Steel Fdy.	42-2	42-1	42-2
Am. Sugar	75-2	70-4	77-5
Am. Sum. Tob.	13-7	13-4	13-4
Am. Tel. & Tel.	143	145	143
Am. Tobacco	115	115	115
Am. Tobacco "B"	114-4	114	114-4
Am. Woolens	40-4	40-1	40-4
Anaconda	43-5	43-4	43-4
Armour "A"	25	24-7	25
Atlantic Gulf	65	65-7	60
Atchison	137-7	136	136-2
Baldwin Loco.	133-3	130-4	131-7
Baltimore & Ohio	93	92-4	92-4
Bethlehem Steel	49-3	48-0	49-3
Brooklyn Manhat	57	56-4	57
California Packing	155	129-4	155-4
California Pete	32-7	32-2	32-7
Canadian Pacific	147	147	147
Central Leather	13-7	13-7	13-7
Cerro De Pasco	67	61	65
Chandler	48	47-7	48
Chesapeake & Ohio	123	124	124-2
Chic. Gt. Western	11-4	11-4	11-4
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	14-3	13-2	14
Chic., M. & St. P. pfd.	20-6	20-0	20-3
Chic. & Northwest	76-4	78	78
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	57-4	50-4	56-5
Chrysler Motor	54-5	53	54-2
Coca Cola	152-5	152	152-3
Colo. Fuel & Iron	37-6	37-0	37-5
Columbia Gas	86-7	86-7	86-7
Cons. Gas	37-5	36-5	37-3
Cont. Can.	82-2	85-2	88-5
Cont. Oil	23-2	25-5	23-3
Cont. Motor	12-0	12-5	12-2
Corn Products	40-0	40-1	40-2
Cosden Oil	35	35-2	30
Crucible Steel	81	80	80
Cuba Am. Sugar	20	23-0	25-0
Davison Chemical	40-2	40-3	40-6
Del., Lack. & West	146-2	146-2	146-2
Dodge Bros.	46	45	45-7
Dodge Bros. pfd.	85-7	84-7	86-7
Dupont Powder	232-0	225-4	230
Elec. Power	31-1	30-7	30-7
Erie	38	38	38
Erie 1st pfd.	44-0	44-1	44-4
Famous Players	109-2	108-3	108-4
Fisher Body	102	100-5	101-7
General Asphalt	75	08-2	71-4
General Cigar	113-4	112-4	115-7
General Electric	336-4	327-4	336-4
General Motors	125-2	123	123-2
Goodrich Rubber	63-2	63	63
Granby	32-3	21-0	22-2
Great Northern Ore	25	23-0	25-0
Great Northern pfd.	76-6	76-4	76-1
Gt. West Sug.	27-7	27	27-7
Gulf States Steel	92	80-4	92
Houston Oil	70-0	70-0	70-0
Howe Sound	27-3	27-3	27-5
Illinois Central	120-4	120-2	120-2
Imperial Oil	37-0	37-0	37-4
Inspiration	25-2	23-3	23-2
Intl. Comb. Eng.	42-2	41-1	45-5
Intl. Pete	34-3	34-3	34-5
Intl. Mer. Marine	10-6	10-6	10-5
Intl. Mer. Mar. pfd	41-2	41-2	41-2
Intl. Nickel	43-4	44-2	45-4
Intl. Tel. & Tel.	121-7	117-5	121-6
Kan. City South	47-4	40-3	47-2
Kennecott Copper	36-7	[illegible]	36-7
Keystone Tire	3-1	3-1	3-1
Lehigh Valley	84-3	84	84
Louisiana Oil	18-5	18-4	18-2
Louis. & Nash	140	140	140
Mack Truck	163-7	160-4	165
Marland Oil	33-1	57-4	55
Mexican Seaboard	12	11-7	12
Miami	12-1	12-1	12-1
Miss. Pacific	38-3	35	38
Miss. Pacific pfd.	88-2	87-7	88-2
Montana Power	79-6	79-2	79-5
Montgomery Ward	80-4	78-7	73-7
Moon Motor	34-2	33-2	36-3
Motherlode	7-1	7-1	7-1
Motor Wheel	32-1	32-1	35-1
National Biscuit	75	75	73
Natl. Dairy Prod.	74-2	74-2	75-2
National Lead	171-4	169-4	171-2
Nevada Cons.	12-5	13-2	13-2
Norfolk & West	154-4	152-4	153-4
North American	84-5	34	31-2
Northern Pacific	75	74-4	74-4
N.Y. Central	132-3	131-5	133-4
N.Y., N.H. & Hart	44	44	44
N.Y., Ont. & West	28	28	28
Packard Motor	42-1	41-4	42
Pacific Oil	78-5	77-3	77-5
Pan American	73-4	73	73-2
Pan American "B"	75-3	73-6	74-7
Pennsylvania R.R.	55	54-1	55
People's Gas	117-2	117-2	117-2
Pere Marquette	85-6	83-0	85-6
Phil. Reading Coal	44-5	44-3	44-4
Phillips Pete	45-0	45	45-4
Pierce Arrow	40-2	38	40
Producers & Ref	16	16	16
Pullman Co.	133-4	163-4	163-4
Pure Oil	30-1	30	30-1
Radio	43-2	42	42-0
Rail. Steel Spring	174-4	174-4	174-4
Ray Cons.	12-1	11-7	12-1
Reading	87-7	87-1	87-1
Rep. Iron & Steel	63	62	62
Royal Dutch	57	56-4	57
Savage Arms	50-6	50-4	50-0
Schultz	134-4	132	124
Sears Roebuck	237-4	255	237-4
Shell Union	25	27-4	27-7
Sinclair Cons.	22-5	21-5	22-2
Sloss Sheffield	130	135	130
Southern Pacific	102-3	101-7	101-7
Southern Railway	117-1	116-6	117-1
Standard Gas	57-4	57-4	57-4
Standard Oil, Cal.	61	59	58-3
Standard Oil, N.J.	45	44-0	44-6
Standard Oil, Ind.	38-2	65	62
Stewart Warner	89-4	88-2	88-4
St. Louis & S. Fran	95-6	95-0	95-3
Stromberg Carb.	76	76	76
Studebaker	55-7	57-5	52-7
Tennessee Copper	14-3	14-3	14-3
Texas Co.	53-1	52-5	53-1
Texas Gulf Sulphur	152-1	121	135
Texas Pacific R.R.	57-0	57-2	57-5
Texas Pac. C. & O.	18-0	18-1	18-4
Timken Roller	55	54-3	52
Tobacco Prod.	38-5	39-2	99-3
Tobacco Prod. "A"	103-3	103-5	103-3
Transcont. Oil	4-4	4-3	4-3
Union Pacific	149	145-2	146-2
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	206-3	204	204
U.S. Ind. Alco	73	72-2	73
U.S. Rubber	82-5	81-1	82-5
U.S. Steel	137	136-1	136-6
Universal Pipe	27	26-5	26-3
Utah Copper	104	104	104
Vanadium	31-1	31-1	31-1
Wabash	73-2	75-1	73-2
Western Union	136-2	136-2	136-2
Western Pacific	37-7	37	37-6
Westing. Elec.	73	74	73
White Motor	83-7	84-1	81-1
Willys-Overland	32-6	31-1	32-5
Woolworth	217-4	212-4	215-3
Worth. Pump	43-1	43-4	43-4
Y'gstn Sh. & Tu.	87-1	87-1	87-1

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

At Victoria

Sterling — Buying, 483⅝; selling, 486⅝.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Foreign exchanges irregular. Quotations in cents: Great Britain — Demand 484⅝; cables 485⅛; 30-day bills on banks 480⅝.

France—Demand 3.55½; cables 3.53.
Italy—Demand 4.05½; cables 4.06.
Belgium—Demand 4.53.
Germany—Demand 23.80.
Holland—Demand 40.15.
Norway—Demand 20.54.
Sweden—Demand 21.77.
Denmark—Demand 24.85.
Switzerland—Demand 19.32.
Spain—Demand 14.15.
Poland—Demand .1250.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand 2.96.
Jugo-Slavia—Demand 1.77.
Austria—Demand .14.
Roumania—Demand .40.
Argentina—Demand 41.45.
Brazil—Demand 14.53.
Tokio—Demand 43½.
Shanghai—Demand 77½.
Montreal—59 57-32.

Vancouver Stock Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.70	1.75
Bowens Copper	..	.05
Bayview	..	.01
Cork Province	..	.06
Glacier	.14	.15
Dunwell	1.81	1.85
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.01¾
Gladstone	.30	.35½
Forty-Nine	.03	..
Independence	.02¾	.05½
Indian Mines	.04¾	.06
L. & L.	.13½	.16
Int. Coal	.12½	.14
Lakeview (new)	..	.10
Lucky Jim	.13½	.15
McGillivrey	.65	..
Nat. Silver	.15	.14
Premier	2.25	2.50
Porter-Idaho	.14	.16
Ruth Hope	.37½	.53
Selkirks	.02¾	.04
Silver Crest	.15	.13½
Silversmith, ex-D.	.39½	.42
Surf Inlet	.08½	.09½
B.C. Montana	.00 3-16	..
British Pet.	.03¾	.05¾
Trojan	..	.04½

Sales

Jan. 7, 5 p.m.—200 B.C. Silver, $1.72; 1,000 Dunwell, $1.30; 200, $1.25; 50, $1.35; 100, $1.31½; 300 Glacier, .14; 500 Premier, $2.23; 300, $2.27; 500 Porter-Idaho, .13; 1,000 Ruth Hope, .55½; 500, .39.

Jan. 8, 10:50 a.m.—200 B.C. Silver, $1.75; 500 Dunwell, $1.23; 3,000 Glacier, .14¼; 2,000, .14; 500 Gladstone, .53; 4,000 Independence, .00; 1,500 Lucky Jim, .14; 400 Premier, $2.50; 1,000 Porter-Idaho, .14; 1,500, .13; 500, .14⅜; 100 Ruth Hope, .37½; 1,000, .53½; 2,300 Silver Crest, .12½.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

Mining

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.70	..
Boundary Red Mountain	.10	..
Bowens Copper	..	.10
Beaver	..	1.20
Consolidated M. & S.	155.00	120.00
Cork Province	.02	..
Douglas Channel	..	.05
Dunwell Mines	1.47	1.52
Dunwell Mines, part paid	.55	..
Glacier Creek	.15	.12½
Gladstone	.50	.32
Glasser	..	.20
Granby	15.00	32.00
Howe Sound	23.00	..
Independence	..	.15
Indian Mines	..	.07
International Coal	.11	.14
L. & L. Glacier	.11	.14
Lakeview	..	.12
Lucky Jim	.11	.15
Marmot Metals	..	.15
McGillivrey Coal	..	.75
National Silver	.11½	..
Phoenix	..	.20
Porter-Idaho	.10½	..
Premier Mines	2.15	2.22
Rufus	..	.14
Selkirks	..	.02
Silverado	..	.60
Silver Crest Mines	.10½	.13
Silversmith	.38½	.42
Standard Silver Lead	.24	..
Sunloch Mines	..	.20
Surf Inlet Gold	.03½	..
Terminus	..	.25
Victoria	.25	.20
Oils		
British Petroleum	.07	..
Spartan Oil	..	.00½
Sweetgrass	..	.00⅝
Trojan Oil	..	.03½
B.C. Montana	.00½	.06½
Miscellaneous		
Amal. Appliance	..	.20
Great West Perm. Loan	..	20.00
Gregory Tire & Rubber	..	3.00

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Close
Abitibi	73-4
Asbestos	94-4
Asbestos pfd	115-4
Atlantic Sugar	30
Bell Telephone	139-4
Brazilian Trac.	81-2
Brompton Paper	37
Can. Cement com.	102-2
Can. Cement pfd	113-4
Can. Car Fdy. com	52-4
Can. Car Fdy. pfd	73-2
Can. S.S. com.	11
Can. S.S. pfd	37
Can. Cottons	110
Can. Converters	35
Cons. M. & S.	124
Dominion Bridge	50-4
Dominion Glass	55
Dominion Textile	32-4
Howard Smith	45-3
Lake of Woods Milling	173
Laurentide Co.	87
Mackay Co.	151-0
Montreal Power	212-6
National Breweries	37-4
Ontario Steel	71-4
Ogilvie Milling Co.	186
Ottawa Power	98
Penman's Ltd.	153
Shawinigan	163
Spanish River Pulp	104-4
Spanish River Pulp pfd	115
Steel of Canada	94-4
Twin City Elec.	78-3

Dow Jones' Averages

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Twenty industrial stocks 158.93, up .93.

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Market Advances Following Weakness

Winnipeg Wheat Closes With Slight Gain in Sympathy With Foreign Advices

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8.—After an early period of weakness, the wheat market here today recovered in sympathy with strength at Chicago and Liverpool and closed 1⅜ cents higher, with May at $1.61⅝, July $1.59⅝, and October $1.40⅞.

Trading lacked feature today and was entirely confined to local interests, with public investors taking small lots of May. The undertone was firm, but trade small.

Coarse grains were featureless; prices firm, following the leading cereal. Flax reported an advance of 2 to 2½ cents.

Little new business was noticed on the cash wheat, and spreads were about 1 cent lower.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	161	162	159¾	161⅝
July	158⅛	159⅞	157¼	158⅝
Oct.	139	140⅞	138	140⅞
Oats—				
May	50½	50⅝	50¼	50⅝
July	51	51¼	50⅝	51⅛a
Barley—				
May	67	67	66⅝	66⅞b
July				67b
Flax—				
May	223½	226⅝	223⅛	226½
July	223	227	225	227a
Oct.	219	219¾	219	219¾
Rye—				
May	107½	108	106⅞	108⅛
July	108½	109⅛	108⅛	109⅛
Oct.	93⅞	93⅝	93	93⅞

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 159¼; 2 nor., 153¾; 3 nor., 148⅝; No. 4, 140¾; No. 5, 133¾; No. 6, 114¾; feed, 94⅝; track, 157⅜.

Oats—2 cw., 47⅝; 3 cw., 43⅝; extra 1 feed, 43⅝; 1 feed, 41⅝; 2 feed, 37⅝; rejected, 36⅛; track, 47⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 61⅞; 4 cw., 56⅝; rejected, 52⅞; feed, 51⅞; track, 61⅞.

Flax—1 nwc., 218½; 2 cw., 214½; 3 cw., 201½, rejected, 191½; track, 218½.

Rye—2 cw., 103⅛.

NEW YORK CURB

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)
2 O'CLOCK LIST

Industrials	Bid	Asked
Acme Coal	5	22
Centrifugal	25½	23⅝
Checker Cab	3	12
Durant Dri.	12⅝	15
Mesabi	1⅛	5⅛
Stutz	35⅝	34½
Ren	24⅛	54⅝
Tob. Prod. Ex.	4⅞	5
Un. Profit Shar.	12	14
Un. Retil Candy	8	8⅛
Cities Serv., com.	38	32⅛
Cities Serv., pfd.	23⅝	24
Cities Serv., Bkrs	12	19⅝
Am. Gas El.	32⅛	84½
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	215	221
Nat. Pow. Lite	25⅛	.57¼
Oils		
Carib.	15½	13⅝
Glenrock	5	29
Int. Pete.	32⅝	34
Marl Max	8⅛	6
Mexico Oil	10	11
Cont. Oil	24⅝	22
Noble Oil	5	8
Panock Oil	52¼	52⅝
Ryan Cons.	6⅝	7⅛
Sapulpa	1	3
Salt Cr. Prod.	33	33½
Salt Cr. Cons.	5⅛	5½
Wilcox	26½	20⅝
Cly	14⅝	14⅝
Mountain	23⅛	23½
Kirby	5½	2⅝
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	12	10
Butte & West	10	15
Cal. Jerome	10	15
Cons. Copper	1⅞	2
Cresson	5⅝	2⅝
Delores	73	85
Eureka	0	2
Hecla	17⅝	18
Hollinger	15⅛	18⅛
J. V. Dev.	94	100
Kerr Lake	1	1⅛
Mason Valley	1⅞	2⅛
Nipissing	5⅞	7
Ohio Copper	70	75
Tech Hughes	3⅝	3
Un. Eastern	40	45
Un. Verde Ex.	27½	25
Wayne Coal	10	25

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Interest due	Will Buy	Will Sell
Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927 1st June & Dec	101.973	102.225
1933 1st May & Nov	105.755	106.075
1937 1st June & Dec	106.673	108.025
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1931 1st April & Oct	102.025	102.375
1937 1st Mar & Sept	104.075	104.425
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927 1st May & Nov	101.273	101.625
1932 1st May & Nov	103.025	105.372
1934 1st May & Nov	103.773	104.123
Dominion Loan		
1929 15th April & Oct., 5%	100.525	100.875
1943 15th April & Oct., 5%	101.375	101.725
1914 15th Ap. & Oct., 4½%	96.575	96.323
1954 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 3%		101.40

Add accrued interest to date.
1927, 1937, 32 days, $0.573 per $100.
1957, 1933, 1933, 1924, 63 days, $1.023 per $100.
1929, 1943, 55 days, $1.164 per $100.
1944, 55 days, $1.049 per $100.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Wheat: The market opened higher on the strength of cables, but sold off quickly on persistent selling by houses with Eastern connections. The offerings on the break, however, were rapidly absorbed and market rallied about 3 cents on good commission house buying, closing near the top. A much better domestic demand was reported for Winter wheat. Export sales small. We continue to believe in higher prices.

Corn: Showed independent strength on fairly general buying, closing nearly 2 cents higher. Country offerings small. The action of International Harvester was not surprising to us and will probably be followed by others with persistent efforts by various organizations in the corn belt to advance prices. We believe corn should be bought on every recession.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May (new)	177⅜	178½	177⅜	178⅜
May	175½	177	173⅜	176⅜
July	133⅞	133⅝	131⅜	135½
Sept.	146⅜	145⅝	144½	140⅝
Corn—				
May	87⅛	88	87¼	86⅛
July	88⅜	90⅜	88⅜	90⅛
Sept	90⅜	91⅞	90⅜	91⅝b
Oats—				
May	42⅝	46	45⅛	46a
July	46	46⅛	45⅝	46⅛a
Rye—				
May	112	112⅞	110⅛	112⅜
July	103⅛	110⅛	109⅛	110⅜

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Copper quiet; electrolytic spot and futures, 14⅛; tin steady; spot and nearby, 62.75; futures, 62.37; iron steady; unchanged; lead spot, 9.25; zinc steady; East St. Louis spot, 8.75; futures, 8.50@8.75; antimony spot, 24.75@25.00.

At London

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Standard copper, £59 10s; futures, £60 12s 6d; electrolytic, spot, £65 10s; futures, £66; tin spot, £285 7s 6d; futures, £288 6s 6d; lead spot, £34 17s 6d; futures, £34 17s 6d; futures, £34 17s 6d; zinc spot, £39 2s 6d; futures, £38 2s 6d.

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8.—Wheat: The market was most dull today, with a narrow trade passing. The market displayed an easier tone during the early part of the day, but better buying developed in later trade, based on understanding that an unofficial report by a local newspaper tomorrow would show Western Canada's total wheat production in 1925 at less than 400,000,000 bushels, while the trade have been led to believe the total was 425,000,000 bushels. Steadiness at Liverpool, which only partially followed American decline of over 3c yesterday and strength at Chicago, with a report by Broomhall, reducing his estimate of Argentine crop by 20,000,000 bushels, were all factors in the late strength, final figures being 1⅜c higher. Trade largely local, very little spreading business, while public took small lots of May. There was no evidence of export buying, and private exporters stated they had received no acceptances overnight or this morning. Pool was reported to have worked a few odd loads, but nothing important. There was little short covering at the opening and again later. We see nothing bullish in situation and believe the bulges will be difficult to hold, unless the farmer comes into the market on much broader scale than he is doing today.

Coars Grains: This market all slow today, with a light, featureless trade and a poor demand.

Flax: A firmer tone, with offerings very light. Final figures 2½c to 2c higher.

Wholesale Row

(Revised January 3, 1926)

Eggs		
Fresh Extras, doz.		.35
Fresh Firsts, doz.		.31
Pullets, Extras, doz.		.25
Butter		
Best cartons		.42
Prints, No. 1		.43
Dairy solids		.34
Dairy Prints		.32
Cheese		
B.C. large, lb.		.25
B.C. twins, lb.		.22½
B.C. triplets, lb.		.24
Alberta solids, lb.		.26
Alberta Stiltons, lb.		.30
Ontario solids, lb., new, .23; matured		.27½
Ontario twins, lb., new, .26; matured		.27½
Ontario triplets, lb., new, .24; matured		.27½
Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make, lb.		.35
Lard		
Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.		.23
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.		.17
Vegetables		
Beans, wax, per lb.		M.P.
Beans, green, per lb.		M.P.
Beets, per sack		1.12
Cucumber, hothouse, No. 1, per doz.		M.P.
Cabbage, local, per lb.		.05
Carrots, sack		1.25
Cauliflower, doz.	1.00 to	2.00
Celery, local, doz.	.75 to	1.25
Lettuce, head, Cal., cts.		2.00
Onions, Okanagan, sack		1.00
Onions, Yakima Spanish, sack		2.00
Parsnips, per sack		2.55
Potatoes, sweet		.07
Potatoes, Mainland		3.00
Potatoes, dry belt, Gems per sack		3.00
Potatoes, dry belt, White, per sack		3.09
Tomatoes, hothouse—		
No. 1, per crt.		6.20
No. 2		2.50
No. 3		5.00
Turnips, new, per sack		1.23
Radishes, local, per doz.		M.P.
Green Peppers, lb.		.13
Fruits		
Strawberries		M.P.
Grapes, Malaga		2.50
Red Emperor		2.75
Cranberries		.23
Pineapples, fresh Cuban, crt.		M.P.
Arizona Grapefruit, Sunkist	1.75	5.25
Pomegranates, crt.		5.20
Apples—		
Delicious		2.75
Wagener		5.16
McIntosh Reds, Okanagan 5.25,	2.20	1.60
Jonathans	2.00	1.50
Winter Banana		2.73
Winesape		1.52
Local Apples, crt.	.75	1.25
Box Pears, fancy	5.20 to	1.75
Bananas, uncrated		.10
Bananas, crated		.08
Lemons, case	7.20	3.20
Valencia		M.P.
Oranges, Jap, per bundle		1.35
Cantaloupes, 45's to 36's		M.P.
Casabas		M.P.
Cocoanuts, doz.		1.50
MEAT		
Beef, No. 1 Steers		.15½
Lamb		.50
Lard	.21	.53
Veal	.14	.15
Bacon		.44
Mutton		.22
Hams	.50	.55
Chickens	.05	.27
Fowl	.25	.30
Pork		.21
Geese, fresh		.25
Turkey	.40	.42
Turkey, Alberta	.36	.45
SUGAR		
White, per hundred		6.53
Yellow, per hundred		2.55

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.40	$40.00
Gr. Barley	2.50	45.00
Corn	2.50	34.00
Cracked Corn	2.90	56.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.90	54.00
Oats	2.50	45.00
Oats, ground	2.50	44.00
Scratch Food	2.20	54.00
Poultry Mash	2.50	60.00
Marvel Egg Mash	2.70	55.00

FLOUR

	Per Sk 49 lbs.
Snowflake	2.75
Purity	2.72
B. & K. Flour	2.72
Five Roses	2.72
Maple Leaf	2.96
Royal Standard	2.72
Royal Household	2.72
B. & K. Pastry	2.60
Whole Wheat	2.65

Retail Prices

(Revised January 8, 1926)

Eggs		
B.C. Fresh Extras		.40
B.C. Firsts		.36
Vegetables		
Artichokes, Globe, each		.35
Cauliflower	.30 and	.40
Cabbage, local, lb.		.02
Celery, local, head		.10
Cucumbers, fresh, each		.35
Grapes, Calif., per lb.		.16
Onions, pickling, 4 lbs. for		.25
Green Spring Onions, bunch		.02
Parsley, bunch		.05
Lettuce, Cal., fresh, per hd.		.10
Lettuce, hothouse leaf, head		.05
Local Onions, 10 lbs. for		.25
Peas, green, fresh, per lb.		.35
Potatoes, 7 lbs. for		.25
Potatoes, local, per sack		2.00
Potatoes, Ashcroft, per sack		2.50
Potatoes, Netted Gems, per sack		3.20
Potatoes, sweet 3 lbs. for		.22
Mushrooms, fresh, lb.		.40
Spinach, local, 2 lbs. for		.25
Tomatoes, hothouse, per lb.		.50
Turnips, local, 10 lbs. for		.25
Watercress, per bunch		.05
Fruits		
Apples—		
Local, 5 lbs. for		.25
Jonathan, per box		2.25
McIntosh Red, per box		2.50
Delicious, per box		3.25
Bananas, doz.	.30 and	.40
Egg Plant, per lb.		.15
Cranberries, per lb.		.25
Figs, Cal., layer, 6-oz. pkts.		.10
Per lb.		.22
Grapes, Red Emperor, per lb.		.12
Grapefruit, Ariz.	.10,	.12½
Florida Grapefruit, each	.15 to	.25
Grapefruit, California, 3 for		.25
Lemons, doz.	.30,	.40
Oranges, new navels, doz.	.35 and	.75
Oranges, Jap. per box		.75
Pineapple, fresh, each		.30
Raisins, Spanish Cluster, pkt.	.40 and	.65
Rhubarb, per lb.		.22
Fish		
Bloaters		.10
Cod fillets, per lb.		.22
Halibut, per lb.		.22
Soles, lb.		.12
Black Cod, fresh, 3 lbs. for		.25
Peets, 2 lbs. for		.25
Cod, per lb.		.20
Kippers, per lb. .15; 2 lbs. for		.25
Finnan Haddies, per lb.		.20
Oysters —		
Esquimalt, doz.		.60
Olympia, per pint		.90
Herrings, per lb. .10; 2 lbs. for		.25
Smelts, per lb.		.20
Salmon		.30
Salmon, white		.25
Crabs	.15,	.20

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Money 3⅜ per cent; discount rates, short bills, 4⅜ @ 4⅞; three months' bills, 4⅞ @ 4 15-16 per cent.

At New York

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Call money steady; high 4, low 4, ruling rate 4, closing bid 4, offered at 4¼, last loan 4, call loans against acceptances, 3¾. Time loans firm; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4⅞; 4-6 months, 4⅞. Prime mercantile paper, 4¼ @ 4½.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—Butter and cheese, unchanged; eggs, easy.

Cheese—Finest Westerns, 20½c to 21c.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 42¼c to 42½c.

Eggs—Storage extras, 44c to 45c; storage firsts, 40c; storage seconds, 33c to 34c; fresh extras, 52c; fresh firsts, 47c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, $3 to $3.25.

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Bar silver, 68⅛; Mexican dollars, 52⅛.

At London

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Bar silver, 31 13-16d per ounce.

Opens Office in Victoria

The Northern Life Assurance Company, of London, Ont., has opened a branch office at 620 Broughton Street, with Mr. J. Ronald Clifford as Island manager. This old-established company has mainly been operating in the East, but owing to the great expansion of the West, has decided to open out here. The company is one of the oldest life insurance companies operating in Canada.

Banks Now Allowed Two Per Cent Discount On Excise Stamp Sales

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—An order-in-council has been passed allowing chartered banks of Canada a discount of two per cent of the total face value of all excise stamps sold to them, Hon. B. Boivin, Minister of Customs and Excise, announced today. Banks have been allowed a discount of one per cent for the sale of stamps while permit-holders have been allowed two per cent for the same services. Mr. Boivin said that while the remuneration allowed the banks barely covered the wastage, it had been brought to his attention that permit-holders had been purchasing the stamps from revenue offices and selling them in large quantities to branches of chartered banks, retaining for themselves the commission of one per cent. The order-in-council takes effect on January 1.

TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5)—10 p.m., dance music from the Crystal Garden, per courtesy of The Daily Colonist.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467)—5:30 p.m., L. A. Examiner matinee programme. 6, KFI Nightly Doings. 6:15, KFI's Seeing California. 6:30, vest pocket concert. 6:45, KFI Radiotorial Period. 7, Oakmont Country Club Orchestra. 8, programme presented by L. A. Examiner. 9, Louise Klos Trio, with Evelyn Pickerell, violinist; Hazel B. Babbige, 'cello; Louise Klos, harp, and Ysabel Bowen, soprano. 10, Packard Radio Club, featuring Polly Grant Hall, Bobbie Gross, Bud Hoff, Joey Ray, Charles Cole and others. 11, KFI Midnite Frolic; Don Meaney presenting stars of screen and stage; William Beudine, B.B., Master of Ceremonies, programme until 3 a.m.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428)—1-2 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Orchestra, Wm. Schwartsman, conducting. 3:30 p.m., Palace Hotel Dance and Concert Orchestra. 6:15 p.m., A. A. Housman stock market quotations. 6:30 p.m., Ye Towne Cryer and amusement information. 6:35 p.m., Waldemar Lind and the States Restaurant Orchestra. 8-10 p.m., programme of band music by the 30th Infantry U.S. Band. 10-12 p.m., Jack Coakley's Cabirians playing at the Cabiria Cafe.

CFYC, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—12-1:30 p.m., popular dance music, courtesy radio dealers. 2:30-3:30 p.m., solo and novelty numbers, courtesy radio dealers. 4:30-5:30 p.m., an hour with the classics, courtesy radio dealers. 7-7:30 p.m., news and market reports, Vancouver Sun.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361)—4-5:30 p.m., Concert Orchestra of the Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, Vinton La Ferrera conducting. 8 p.m., weekly "Sport Review" by Al Santoro. 8:10 p.m., part one, a Wagnerian programme, San Francisco Concert Orchestra; California Mixed Chorus; Marion Vecki, baritone; Flora Howell Bruner, soprano; Edna Linkowski, pianist; Carl Anderson, tenor; part two, popular programme; George B. Allen, baritone, San Francisco Concert Orchestra; Flora Howell Bruner, soprano; Ruth Waterman, contralto. 10 p.m. to midnight, dance music programme from the Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco; Girvin Deuel's California Collegians.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (405)—2:30-3:30 p.m., regular matinee programme. 6:30-7:30 p.m., children's programme presenting Prof. Walter Sylvester Hertzog, radio historian. 7:30 p.m., Fred C. McNabb will give a talk on gardens. 8-10 p.m., programme through the courtesy of Young's Market Co. 10 p.m., Art Hickman's Biltmore Dance Orchestra. 11:30 p.m. to 2 a.m., The Times Tomcats will "Meow" from KHJ.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (492) — 6-7 p.m., dinner programme. 9-12 p.m., dance music by wire telephony from Indian Grill of Multnomah Hotel.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (455)—4-5:15 p.m., The Times, Wm. F. Hoffman's Olympic Hotel Concert Orchestra. 6-6:45 p.m., Rhodes Department Store, presenting Hoffman Concert Orchestra from Olympic Hotel. 6:45-8:15 p.m., Rhodes Dept. Store programme. 10-11:30 p.m., Olympic Hotel, Eddie Harkness Dance Orchestra.

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Wooden Blocks Slated to Go

City Council May Make Start This Year on Paving of Belleville Street With Asphalt

Replacement this year of Belleville Street wooden paving with asphalt surfacing will likely be made if plans discussed at yesterday's meeting of the public works committee of the City Council are brought into effect.

Last year the City Council advanced a scheme for the gradual replacement of all wooden block paving in the city, the cost to be borne by general revenue over a period of five years. A start was made on this programme last year with the substitution of asphalt for wooden blocks on a section of Douglas Street.

The committee decided yesterday to recommend to the council the construction of a paved sidewalk from Douglas Street to the art gallery entrance to the Crystal Garden, providing that the latter institution will share the cost.

The same course will be recommended with regard to the request for the paving of Collinson Street by the St. Joseph's Hospital.

Alderman Woodward, chairman of the public works committee, yesterday made a tour of the city with Acting-Mayor Marchant and City Engineer Preston, to view the streets where requests have been made for repairs and alterations. In the course of the tour the vast improvements made by the clearing operations on the Belleville Street esplanade and on Redfern Park, and the progress made on the cleaning of Goodacre Lake at Beacon Hill Park, and on the filling in of the centre of Johnson Street west of the bridge, were noted with satisfaction.

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Fruit Growers Are To Meet Tonight

Gordon Head Growers Will Hear Addresses on Loganberry, and Strawberry Pest Control

The Gordon Head Fruit Growers' Association will hold a general meeting for all those in the district who are interested in the culture and production of strawberries and loganberries this evening at Gordon Head Hall.

Mr. N. H. Lamont, of the Growers' Wine Co., and some of the directors, will speak on the loganberry fruit so far as wine making is concerned, and the possibilities of the growth of this industry.

Mr. W. Downes, Dominion entomologist, has consented to speak on the new weevil poison as developed by the University of Washington.

Airplane Falls

DUPO, Ill., Jan. 8.—An army airplane carrying two passengers fell into the icy waters of the Mississippi River near here last night, injuring one of the occupants. The passengers, Lieutenant D. H. Baisley and Staff Sergeant T. V. Anderson, were rescued by the crew of a transfer boat. Anderson was slightly injured.

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Business or Professional Cards of four lines or under, $6.00 per month. Additional space at $1.25 per line per month.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

CHRISTY—On January 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Roland G. Christy, at Jubilee Hospital, a daughter.

SLOMAN—At the St. Joseph's Hospital, January 4, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Sloman, a son.

EARLE—To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Earle, at Eastbourne, January 5, a son.

DEATHS

BARTON—On January 7, at the Jubilee Hospital, Jessie May, the beloved wife of O. H. C. Barton, in her thirty-third year, native of Peterboro, Ontario. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband and two sons, two aunts and uncles in Victoria; her mother, sister and two brothers in the East.

The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co.'s Chapel, 734 Broughton Street, whence the funeral will take place today at 2 [illegible] interment at the Royal Oak Burial Park.

DRUMMOND-HAY—On the 8th inst., at the family residence, 111 Gorge Road, there passed away Charles Drummond-Hay, aged sixty-nine years, a resident of this city for the past seven years. He is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter.

The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Monday, at 12.30, proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be held at 12.45 o'clock, after which the remains will be forwarded on the 2.15 boat en route to Winnipeg, where interment will be made in the family plot at Elmwood Cemetery. The remains will be accompanied by his son, H. R. Drummond-Hay.

OATES—On January 6, at her late home, 3271 Quadra Street, Elizabeth Laura Oates, widow of the late Robert Oates, aged eighty-two years, born in Liverpool, England, and a resident of this city for the past thirty-five years. The deceased is survived by four daughters, Mrs. C. Woods, of Toronto; Mrs. D. Dewar, of 1210 Oxford Street, Victoria; Gertrude and Edith, at home, also one son, Mr. Albert Oates, of Turlock, California.

The funeral will take place Saturday, January 9, at 2:30 o'clock, from the above residence, Rev. H. Knox officiating. Interment will take place in the family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. J. H. Oldfield wish to extend very sincere thanks to the many friends for the thoughtful expressions of sympathy received, and their deep appreciation of the floral tributes sent.

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ABSOLUTELY Best Prices Paid for GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING
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We Buy Junk
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ROOM AND BOARD 15

A LARGE, pleasant, warm room, with board; few minutes from car, sea and golf links; home cooking, good locality; reasonable. Phone 1945L.

AT Firwood Lodge, 906 Cook Street. First-class board-residence. Phone 1160.

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A PLEASANT well-finished front bedroom, in private home, close to Glenshiel Hotel, board or light housekeeping privileges. Phone 5019R.

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Furnished Housekeeping Rooms
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Steam Heat—Hot and Cold Water
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WANTED TO RENT—FLATS AND APARTMENTS 22

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Skinner Street, Victoria West—House of 7 rooms, in good condition $22.50
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SMALL furnished bungalow, 3 to 5 rooms, fireplace, 1st February. Full particulars first letter. No children. Box 7395, Colonist.

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FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW

IN very good Oak Bay location, almost new and very roomy. Pretty sunroom, good-sized living and dining room, with fireplace and buffet, bright and fully equipped Dutch kitchen, bathroom and two good-sized bedrooms with closets. Easy entrance to high cement basement, with laundry tubs and splendid hot air furnace. Good-sized lot in apple-pie order, with lawn, flowers, small and large fruit. This building has been newly painted and decorated, and is arranged so that work in house and garden can be done with a minimum of time and labor. Altogether a charming small home, but owner must leave Victoria. Price $3,675; $1,000 cash will be accepted, or can be paid for in full.

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PARTLY furnished seven-room house (four bedrooms), in good order, with fireplaces and modern bathroom. Thirty-five acres, with fifteen acres cultivated, domestic orchard and small fruit. Two barns and chicken house. Situate just off Island Highway, about five miles out. Rent $40, with option to buy at $3,000, on easy terms.

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MAN With a Family—Look! Eight rooms, modern, bungalow type, newly furnished throughout. Ready to step right into, early possession can be arranged. $4,500, on terms. Owner, Box 7443, Colonist.

OAK BAY SPECIAL—Close to sea, choice location — Seven-roomed, well-planned modern residence, consisting of reception room, dining-room, den, kitchen and three bedrooms. Full cemented basement, which is very high. Garage in basement. Property contains about 1.28 acres, nicely treed. Will accept as part payment six-roomed house, title indefeasible.
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HOUSES FOR SALE 39
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ONLY $395—Three-room cosy cottage, water, telephone, electric light; situated on an exceptionally large lot, outside the city limits, in Saanich. The lot is all fenced, new board walk to the street, several young fruit trees, a hedge and a garage. The location is high and open and the property is on a main road. There is no mortgage. Cash payment $75 and $10 per month. This is a real bargain. A. A. Meharey, 408-6 Sayward Bldg. Phone 3308.

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SIX bright, cosy rooms, with three bedrooms, all modern conveniences, including good hot air furnace; living-rooms panelled and beamed, and contain numerous built-in features. This is a home that has always had the very best of care and can be guaranteed in perfect condition. The owner must sell at once, and in order to do so has given us the exceptionally low figure of

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$1750—LARGE well constructed 4-room bungalow. Modern plumbing, gas for cooking. Close in, near centre of city. Good surroundings. Closing an estate. Making great sacrifice. Terms.
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$1600—MODERN and very well built home with entrance hall, bright living and dining-rooms, kitchen and pantry, two bedrooms, 3 piece bathroom; full basement with cement floor. Close Hillside car and Oaklands School.

$1800—BUNGALOW containing five well arranged rooms, full plumbing, neat appearance. Small cash payment, balance monthly.
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$2100—A VERY nice little home of 4 rooms; enamel bath fixtures, 2 bedrooms, cement basement. Nearly half-acre garden, grapes, peaches and all other fruits. Chicken house and garage. $3,100, Gordon Head, 3¾ acres, half cultivated, 3 rooms, water, nice high location; good for fruit or chickens.
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A BEAUTIFUL,
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REALLY A BARGAIN FOR

$5500

THERE are seven rooms; very spacious living-room with large open fireplace, finished with cut granite; dining-room, kitchen, three bedrooms, good bathroom, excellent basement, steam heated, hardwood floors, garage, etc. Modern in every particular. Situated on one of the most desirable streets. Front of house is pillared with cut granite.

If you are looking for a fine home (not too large), at what is rightly termed a bargain price, then this is the home for you to see.

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982 Government St. — Phone 125

AN ALL-CASH SACRIFICE
$3500—OAK BAY—Modern six-roomed semi-bungalow, two nice lots, cement basement, furnace; all rooms large, bright and airy, super bathroom, 16 x 12. Open surroundings, nice view. Solid cement driveway, 50x8 to garage. One minute to car and tennis. Other very attractive and interesting features. Let us show you this home.
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655 Yates — Phone 673

$2500—VERY nice 5-room bungalow, large, high location, Fairfield. Excellent value, easy terms.

$3150—COMFORTABLE 6 room semi-bungalow, in first-class shape, cement basement, furnace. Big garage, cement driveway and walks. High part of Fairfield. Can't be beaten for the price.

$2750—ATTRACTIVE, new 5 room bungalow and attic, many built-in features. Large lot, good soil. North Quadra. Low taxes.

$1600—LARGE 3-room modern bungalow, living-room 16x20, fireplace, solidly built, plumbing alone cost $500. ½-acre lot, good soil. North Quadra. Splendid value. An inspection will prove to you its desirability.
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$1500—4 ROOM modern bungalow, 3-piece bathroom, full basement. Light taxes. Close to car and sea.
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$2150 WILL purchase eight-roomed 2-story house, near Beacon Hill Park. $1,000 will purchase six-roomed dwelling in good locality. $780 will purchase three-roomed house, close to High School; easy terms. Lee, Parsons & Co., Ltd., 1222 Broad Street.

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$2000—ESQUIMALT District—1½ acres with two-room house, three chicken houses, fruit trees, logans, rhubarb. F. F. Higgs, 201 Pemberton Bldg. Agent North Empire Fire Insurance Co.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39
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LINDEN AVENUE

$13,500—A WONDERFUL home on the highest part of this desirable street, on the market for the first time. There are eight main rooms and a splendidly-fitted laundry. Large rooms and closets throughout, each exceptionally well lighted. Fireplaces in drawing-room and den. Dining-room, den and hall have beamed ceilings and panelled walls. Hot water heating plant, in first class shape, and gas laid on to the kitchen.

If you are in the market for a high-class home, instruct us to make an appointment to view.

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A FULLY modern 6-room stucco bungalow, large treed lot. All the rooms are large and bright. This house is about a year old and is a most desirable home. It is situated in South Oak Bay, on a first-class street. It is worth its price of $6,000.

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Phone 388. — 625 Fort Street
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$1800—SUBURBAN five-room bungalow, modern and attractive in every detail, dining and drawing-room, Dutch kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom; cement basement with furnace, water, light and small conservatory. Large garden. AN ABSOLUTE GIFT.

$1250—SIX-ROOM completely modern house in good shape. Quiet respectable locality within few minutes' walk of Hudson's Bay. A WONDERFUL BARGAIN.

$1400—PARTICULARLY complete and choice little home of four rooms, complete with bathroom, garage with runway, and splendid garden. Just outside city limits.

$2500—EXCELLENT four-room bungalow, large living-room, with open fire, two bright bedrooms, full bathroom, Dutch kitchen, basement with laundry tubs, garage and good garden. An extra lot with good chicken houses for an additional $266.

$3300—SEMI-BUNGALOW of seven charming rooms, one of the most convenient and attractive homes in the city. Reception hall with open fire, delightful drawing-room, dining-room, panelled and beamed, den, three fine bedrooms, sleeping porch, furnace and garage. POSITIVELY A GIFT.

$5250—ONE of the most delightful five-room stucco bungalows imaginable. Splendid location in the high part of Fairfield. Practically new and in perfect shape. Complete with garage. TERMS.

HARRY AMPHLETT
212 Union Bank Building — Phone 5906

FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW

$2600

Nice 5-room bungalow, on good street, close to Richardson, condition as good as new. Entrance hall, living-room with fireplace; dining room, two good bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, kitchen and separate pantry; cement basement, piped for furnace.
Best Buy in Fairfield

CLOSE-IN BARGAIN

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Within 10 minutes' walk. 7-room modern home, entrance hall, living-room with fireplace, 4 bedrooms, dining-room, kitchen and pantry; furnace and cement basement.
A Real Home Bargain

OAK BAY AVENUE
Business lot on corner, size 50x102.

$400
Or Near Offer

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FOR SALE—TO CLOSE AN ESTATE

1½ ACRES and 6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW

Situated on Beach Drive, Oak Bay, and overlooking the Municipal Park, with an uninterrupted view of sea and mountains.

For price and further particulars, apply to E. P. Johnston, Colonist Office.

$4250—FINE five-room bungalow, with two choice lots, overlooking the sea, Oak Bay. Low taxes.

$1400—NICE bungalow, 4 rooms, modern, basement, etc.; large open fireplace.

$6800—CHOICE country home, with about 3 acres, close in. Fruit trees, chicken houses, etc.

Listings of Bungalows Urgently Wanted.
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4 ROOM cottage and big lot, $400. Just off Shelbourne Street. Water laid on. Needs a few minor repairs, but is an exceptional gift at this price. Nice size rooms, good flooring, well built. Some terms given.

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5-ROOMED bungalow, within one block of car line, modern and in perfect condition, with all rooms daintily decorated. Interior shows bright living room with draw doors to dining room, with fireplace, 2 good sized bedrooms with closets, 3-piece bathroom, kitchen and pantry, full basement. Situated on boulevarded street and surrounded by good homes.
PRICE ONLY $2,200. Terms Arranged.

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20 ACRES bush land, excellent soil if cleared, considerable amount of timber. This property is suitable for poultry and fruit, or would make a small dairy farm. Situated convenient to school and in a good district.
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WE have a few choice pieces of land, ranging in size from 1½ to 5 acres, all in high state of cultivation and tile-drained (city water available), situated within the 3½-mile circle, at $400 per acre up. These would make attractive suburban homesites and pay a dividend.
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WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES 40

WANTED to Buy—Six-room modern house, on large lot, with garage; must be cheap for cash. Box 7238, Colonist.

WANTED—5 or 6-room bungalow, near High School. Must be good buy. Box 7306, Colonist.

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ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

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FOX farm—An island, 12 acres, convenient to Victoria. Apply to D. Fraser, Colonist Office. For sale or lease.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
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GORDON HEAD DISTRICT
THREE AND ONE-THIRD ACRES choicest land obtainable, with a three-roomed house, in good condition. City water, phone and light past the door. Some bearing fruits. Half cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. At a snap this week.

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NORTH QUADRA DISTRICT
6 ACRES, 5½ cleared, splendid black bottom soil. New four-roomed house, pantry, basement, wash porch, never failing well. Chicken house, 75 birds, brooder house. Three-quarters of an acre strawberries, etc.; 10 bearing fruit trees. Never-failing creek through property. About 3½ miles from Victoria, 1 mile from store, P.O. and school bus.

$3500

With $1,500 down, balance on mortgage.

10 ACRE property; 3 acres under cultivation. Has splendid site on Island Highway, one mile from station. Six-room house and good water supply. There is one large barn and two chicken houses. This property is of very exceptional value at

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$2950—WITHIN six miles of City Hall, paved road all the way. Eight acres of splendid land, suitable for small fruit, flower culture, chickens or fox farm. Four acres cleared and in cultivation; balance carries a few stumps, easily cleared. Quantity of logans and rasps already in. A small stream runs right through the property, which is all fenced. Excellent four-roomed house, with basement, water laid on. Splendid view from house windows. Barn and chicken house. You can't beat this. It's absolutely the best buy on the market. AND ON TERMS.

$7500—TEN miles from city, five-room California bungalow, panelled, beamed, open fires, china cabinet, inglenook seat; absolutely up to city standards. Ten acres of splendid land, family orchard, barn and colony houses. Pretty stream through property; house located in beautiful grove of firs. TERMS. Would take city house in part payment.

HARRY AMPHLETT
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FOR Sale—Over 26 acres, with 4-room bungalow, orchard, small fruits, water piped to house, near station, school, churches, etc.; best place on Vancouver Island for poultry. Sacrifice for $1,600, or near offer. Must sell. Address T. Watson, 48 Montreal Street.

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IMPROVED acreage, small and large, with furnished and unfurnished houses, for rent, trade or sale. F. F. Higgs, 203 Pemberton Bldg.

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$1500 FOR 6 ACRES RICH GARDEN SOIL, ABOVE ELK LAKE, OFF THE EAST SAANICH ROAD. Mostly cultivated; abundance of water. This is a mortgagee's sale and represents about half actual value.
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5 ACRES GOOD LAND, in light bush, situated on main paved road.
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$1000

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75 ACRES more or less; an reasonable offer refused. Apply J. Goyette, Royal Oak P.O.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

A COUNTRY estate of 30 acres, near Victoria, high location, fine view of the water; well built modern house and greenhouse, heated by hot water, house for help, garage, chicken house and enclosed runs, orchard of the very best, some fine timber, unlimited water supply by gravity system.
For Further Particulars Apply
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HOUSE on Active Pass, the well-known pass midway between Victoria and Vancouver (regular steamer connections with both). Good 7-roomed house (next to store), with five acres land, a good water supply from a drilled well, and a fine view of Active Pass and the shipping. Price $2,700, on terms; or $2,400 cash. An ideal place for anyone desiring a seafront home with a good view and fishing.
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PROPERTY WANTED 45

GOOD building lot wanted in Oak Bay municipality. Box 7488, Colonist.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

AS A GOING CONCERN
AN up-to-date fruit and chicken farm, within twenty minutes' ride of city. Fifteen acres fenced, nearly all cleared; full bearing and young fruit trees. Barn and chicken house; chickens, Jersey cow, horse, wagon, harness, farming implements, garden tools, incubator, brooder, 7-room house, with furniture. All for $5,500.
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3-ROOM HOUSE, with modern improvements, close to car line, inside mile circle. Good garage, chicken house and garden. Would exchange for five-room house. Price

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6 ACRES, all cultivated, house, barn, chicken house, city water, main road, near postoffice. Owner, F. C. Long, Metchosin.

$2600—4 ACRE chicken ranch on main road, 10 miles out, 4-room bungalow, with basement and large open fireplace, chicken houses.

$8500—7 ACRES, all good land, 6-room new bungalow, positively modern in every respect, poultry houses for 500 birds. This property commands a beautiful view of Elk Lake and Cordova Bay.
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AGENTS WANTED 59

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CROWN grant and licensed timber for sale. Cruisers' reports and estimates furnished, with topographical maps. Log brokers. Girdwood & Lewis, Ltd., 217-218 Pemberton Bldg.

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SAID to be over a million feet. On salt water, with easy logging conditions. Price $1,160, terms. Substantial reduction for cash.
We can also offer about seven million feet almost adjoining, with considerable cedar.
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Required immediately—Experienced Constable for Police Force, one with fire-fighting experience, and willing to assume duties of Chief of Volunteer Brigade of 6 men preferred. Applications, giving full particulars of experience in each line, to be in not later than Saturday, January 16th. State salary required: 1, as Constable only, 2, as Constable and Fire Chief. Uniform provided.

E. J. CRONK, Secretary,
Board of Police Commissioners.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

WARD MEETINGS, 1926

Notice is hereby given that public meetings will be held on the following dates at the following places:
All meetings commence at 8 p.m. promptly.
Ward 4, January 7, 1926, Women's Institute Hall.
Ward 1, January 8, 1926, St. Aidan's Hall.
Ward 6, January 11, 1926, Temperance Hall.
Ward 3, January 12, 1926, The Hall, Tyndall Avenue.
Ward 5, January 13, 1926, Royal Oak School.
Ward 2, January 14, 1926, Cloverdale School.
Ward 7, January 15, 1926, Tillicum School.

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Dominions and Colonies Will Be Asked to Meet to Consider Terms of Pact

LONDON, Jan. 8.—With reference to a story published by The Daily Express that the Baldwin Government contemplates the calling of an imperial conference at the earliest possible date to discuss the attitude of the Dominions on the Locarno Peace Pact, it is learned that no date for any such conference has been fixed.

An imperial conference may be held here before next year, but this is a matter for the cabinet to decide with the Dominions and Colonies.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—A conference between the British and Dominion Governments to consider the Locarno Pact among other matters, was suggested by Austen Chamberlain, Foreign Secretary, in the British House of Commons, on November 18. The matter received some discussion but there has not been, it is understood, any formal proposal of a conference. It is not thought likely here that there will be another imperial conference before next year.

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Clearance Sale of Children's Hats
Values to $5.95 for

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Hats to suit children from 2 to 12 years, made from velvet, felt, silk, plush, in all colors and black. All nicely trimmed and finished. Regular values to $5.95. On sale for **$1.00**
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English Jumpers, made of fine quality fibre silk, with round necks and elbow length sleeves. Finished at neck and sleeves with imitation crochet edging; cord at waist and neck to adjust fullness. Shown in navy, black, grey, jade, gold, white and peach. Each, **$2.98**
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Correct in Style and Superior in Quality On Sale Today for

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Coats of reversible tweeds, well tailored, and made with full belt and raglan or set-in sleeves. Very neat in effect, and each a bargain for **$18.90**

Dressy Coats of velour and marvella cloths, trimmed with fur collars and cuffs that give them a distinctive effect. They are fully lined, and offered in popular shades. On sale, each **$18.90**
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Royal Worsted GIRDLES
Regular $3.50; On Sale Today for

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Royal Worcester Girdles, made from sections of elastic and satin striped batiste, with low bust, short skirt and four hose supporters. A well known corset at a bargain price. Regular $3.50. On sale for **$1.98**
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English All-Wool Pull-Overs
$6.95

Smart All-Wool Pull-Overs, with long sleeves and turned-back cuffs, V necks or small high collar, and two set-in pockets in front. Shown in pretty two-tone shades of red and grey, fawn and brown and sheepskin and cocoa. Price, each **$6.95**
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1,000 Pairs of Women's Finest Quality HOSIERY
Values to $2.50—On Sale Today for, a Pair

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High-Grade Wool, Silk and Wool and Silk Hose for women and misses. Shown in two-tone silk and wool rib effect, and in plain shades. All sizes in the lot, but not in each line or color. Wonderful assortment of shades to choose from. Values to $2.50 a pair, January Sale Bargains at ..... **98¢**

Women's Silk Hose, with lisle garter tops, reinforced feet and seam at back of leg. Shown in a wide assortment of shades. Regular $1.00 a pair. On sale for ..... **59¢**

Pure Thread Silk Hose with hemmed or garter tops and well reinforced feet, all the most popular shades, and excellent quality. Regular $1.50. On sale for, a pair ..... **98¢**

Marvel Silk Hose, well known quality, in all the wanted shades, well reinforced and finished with pointed heels. Regular $2.00 a pair. On sale for **$1.29**

English Alhambra Bedspreads
On Sale Today for, Each

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English Alhambra Quilts, in a good serviceable quality, launder well and have a nice appearance. Shown in red, pink or gold; 72 x 90-inch size. On sale for, each **$2.39**
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At Great Bargain Prices Today

Unbleached Sheets in 72 x 90-inch size, hemmed and ready to use. A bargain at, a pair **$2.50**

Fully Bleached Sheets, hemmed and ready to use; made up from fine grade sheeting in 80 x 90-inch size. Bargains at, a pair **$3.00**
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A Big Flannelette Special
Regular 35c a Yard—On Sale for

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Good Serviceable Flannelette, in blue, pink, mauve and fawn stripes; ideal for men's, women's and children's nightwear; 36 inches wide. Regular 35c a yard. On sale for... **25¢**
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All-Wool Knitted Dresses
A Real Big Value Today for $7.90

Dresses, knitted from first-grade wool, neat fitting and remarkably attractive. They have long sleeves with turn-back cuffs, the necks finished with collar and silk braid binding. They are finished with tie girdles, the shades including fawn, sand and navy. All-over jacquard design in silk and plain cuffs and collar. Sizes 36 to 44. On sale for **$7.90**
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Infants' Quilted Silk Jackets
Very Special at

$1.75

Quilted Silk Jackets in pretty shades of pink and blue, made to fasten with silk cord and pompons; warm and cosy for baby. Special **$1.75**
—Infants' Wear, 1st Floor

Children's Hosiery
January Sale Values for Today

All-Wool Cashmere Hose in a good weight, knit seamless in a nice elastic rib. A warm, serviceable hose for school wear; shown in black, brown, camel and white. Sizes 4½ to 10. Priced according to size from, a pair ..... **45¢** to **$1.00**

Children's Three-Quarter Golf Hose, made of 100 per cent pure wool, have fancy turn-over tops and well reinforced feet. Shown in grey, fawn and brown. Sizes 6 to 7½, a pair ..... **98¢**
Sizes 8 to 10 at **$1.25**

All-Wool Golf Hose in shades of almond green, light or dark grey, fawn and corn. Good Winter weight in a nice even rib. Real bargains at, a pair ..... **59¢**

Children's Silk and Wool Three-Quarter Hose, with neat ribbed cuffs; shown in a good selection of shades and sizes. January Sale Bargains at, a pair ..... **75¢**
—Hosiery, Main Floor

NURSES' UNIFORMS
Today at Reduced Prices

Nurses' Uniforms in straight lined or waist line styles, slightly soiled, on sale at .... Reduced Prices

INFANTS' COATS
January Sale Bargains at

$1.75

Coats of camel hair and corduroy; cute little styles in shades of fawn, blue and brown. January Sale Bargains at **$1.75**
—Infants' Wear, 1st Floor

Clearance of Crochet Cottons and Silks

Clearance of Peri Lusta Cotton, 3 and 5 in white and 50 and 60 in ecru. Regular 30c a ball. To clear at ..... **10¢**

Stag Crochet Silk, this is a fine pure silk in shades of pink, green, cream, sky, brown, cardinal, medium brown and shaded greens. Regular 30c a ball. To clear at ..... **10¢**

Mercerized Rick-Rack Braid in shades of red, black, pale blue; 3 yards on a card. Reg. 20c. To clear at **10¢**
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Reversible Rugs
In Oriental Designs

Reversible Rugs, shown in Oriental designs and colorings. They are made of hard-wearing jute but have the appearance of wool rugs.

Size 24 x 48 inches. On sale for **$1.75**

Size 27 x 55 inches. On sale for **$2.50**

Size 36 x 72 inches. On sale for **$3.95**
—Rugs, 2nd Floor

Girls' Sweater Coats
Values to $3.50. On Sale for $1.95

A good assortment of All-Wool Coat Sweaters in cardigan or chappie coat styles. Shown in plain or brushed wool and shades of fawn, grey, brown and blue. Sizes for 4 to 12 years. Values to $3.50. On sale for **$1.95**
—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Girls' and Misses' COATS
All Greatly Reduced for January Sale



Blanket Cloth and Velour Coats, in sizes for 8 to 14 years; smart styles, mostly fur trimmed, and shown in fawn and brown. January Sale Bargains at **$6.95**, **$8.95** and **$9.95**

Girls' and Misses' Better Grade Coats, in fine velour cloth, fur trimmed and smartly styled. Sizes for 14 to 16 years. Values to $25.00. On sale for **$18.75**
—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Girls' Fine Serge PLEATED SKIRTS
For School Wear—On Sale for

$2.75, $3.95 and $4.50

Navy Blue Serge Pleated Skirts, very neat and smart for school wear, attached to white cotton bodice; sizes for 8 to 12 years. Special at **$2.75**

Navy Serge Pleated Skirts, small or large pleats, buttoned onto white cotton bodice which may be easily detached for washing; sizes for 14, 15 and 16 years. Special at **$3.95**

Girls' Skirts of very fine quality serge, the very newest style with kick pleats in front and plain back, neat fitting and smart in appearance. Attached to white cotton bodice. Sizes for 14, 15 and 16 years. Each **$4.50**
—Children's Wear, 1st Floor



Odd Chinaware
Great Bargains for Today

Odd Saucers, per dozen ..... **15¢**
Cups and Saucers, slightly damaged; per dozen ..... **50¢**
Odd Plates, lunch size. Special, 6 for **79¢**
Odd White Ironstone Bakers, special, each ..... **50¢**
Odd Small Plates, slightly damaged. Special, a dozen ..... **50¢**
2-Quart Bean Crocks, special, each ..... **60¢**
Odd Yellow Bowls, each, special ..... **10¢**
Casseroles in plated frames, short lids. Each **$1.00**
Odd Jugs, 1-pint, 1½-pint and 2-pint sizes; slightly damaged. Special at ..... **15¢, 25¢** and **35¢**

China Tea Sets, 3 decorations. Consisting of 6 cups and saucers, 6 tea plates, 1 cake plate, 1 sugar and 1 cream. Special, the set **$2.95**
—Chinaware, Tower, Main Floor

WOOLS
Regular $1.98 a Pound—On Sale for

$1.39

4-Ply Fingering Yarn in colors of emerald, navy, white, buff, light grey, brown mixture. Regular $1.98. On sale for, a pound **$1.39**
—Art Needlework, 1st Floor

Men's Handkerchiefs
At Reductions That Mean Bargains

20 Dozen Men's Printed Silk Handkerchiefs, with hemstitch borders, Paisley and fancy colors; size 17 x 17 inches. Regular price $1.25 each. On sale for ..... **79¢**

Men's Fine White Irish Cambric Handkerchiefs; 3 for **25¢**
Or a dozen for **$1.00**

Men's Fine Linen Handkerchiefs, with fast color woven borders; full size. Regular 50c each, for ..... **35¢**
Or ..... 3 for **$1.00**
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Sweaters
Four of Our Best January Sale Bargains

Imported All-Wool Sweater Coats, made with V neck and two pockets. Shown in assorted colors and great values at, each **$1.49**

Penman's All-Wool Sleeveless Knitted Vests, with buttoned front and four pockets. Very neat and dressy. On sale at, each **$1.95**

Penman's All-Wool Sweater Coats of medium weight and with four pockets; V neck style and shown in sand shade only. On sale, each at **$2.39**

Men's Heavy Knitted Sweater Coats, wool and cotton mixture; V neck or shawl collar styles, with two pockets. Several shades. Broken lines and sizes. On sale, each, **$3.95**
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Emphasizing Bargains Offered in Our January Sale of Men's and Women's Shoes



Women's Smart Oxfords, brown or black kid, brown calf, patent leather and gunmetal; Cuban or low heels and welted soles. On sale for **$4.95**

Black Satin Strap Pumps, with high or low heels; patent leather strap and gore pumps and black kid strap pumps. On sale at, a pair **$4.95**

Black Satin Strap and Gore Pumps, apricot kid strap pumps, tan calf and kid strap pumps, patent leather and black kid strap and gore pumps and tan calf Oxfords. A great range of sizes, a pair **$5.95**

Blonde Kid Strap Pumps, tan kid gore pumps, black satin and leather strap pumps; newest styles. A pair **$6.95**

White and gold, white and silver, and all-white brocade slippers, black satin and patent leather pumps and strap slippers and tan calf slippers. A pair **$7.95**

Men's Shoes Reduced



Men's Work Boots of strong brown grain leather. Big value at, a pair **$3.95**

Men's Rubber Knee Boots, first-grade. On sale, a pair **$3.85**

Men's Semi-Dress Boots in black or brown, with half double soles and rubber heels; Balmoral or Derby styles. At, a pair **$4.90**

English-Made Leather-Lined Boots with double soles; black or brown box calf. A pair **$5.95**

Men's "Strider" Boots or Oxfords, black or brown calf and in dressy shapes, on square toe last. A pair **$5.95**

Men's Winter Weight Boots, with full double soles, Balmoral or Derby styles, with waterproof drill lining. On sale at, a pair **$6.95**
—Men's Shoes, Main Floor



Men's Shirts
On Sale Today for

$1.00, $1.39 and $1.49

Khaki Drill Work Shirts of good grade; patterned in black and white stripes and dark stripes, and in heavy black and white cotton tweeds; all sizes. On sale at, each **$1.00**

Men's Fine Shirts of fine printed percale and fast woven zephyr, stripe shirts; made with soft double cuffs and starch neckband. All sizes in the selection, but not in any one pattern; fancy and neat stripes. On sale, each **$1.39**
—Men's Shirts, Main Floor

Men's Imported Golf Hose, Regular Price, a Pair, $2.50 for $1.49

Men's British-Made Pure Wool Golf Hose, in extra large sizes. Shown in marl and tweed designs; sizes 11½ and 12. On sale, a pair **$1.49**
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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The perfect hair dressing. Keeps the hair tidy without being too sticky or greasy. 50c jar for ..... **38¢**

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A reliable remedy for indigestion, sour stomach, flatulence and heartburn. We can vouch for results. Per bottle, **50¢** and **$1.00**

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Corrects liver troubles, sluggishness, excess of uric acid; pleasant to take and effective. Per tin ..... **35¢** and **60¢**

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These have proved very satisfactory in a great number of cases. Every one with a tendency to goitre should try them; 3 months' treatment for ..... **75¢**

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January Sale Bargains

Walnut Steel Beds, continuous post style, with six fillers, all standard sizes. Bargains at, each **$10.50**

Guaranteed Coil Springs, no-sway attachment. Very good value at, each **$10.00**

All-Felt Mattresses, made in layers, in assorted tickings. Special value at, each **$8.50**

All-Steel Frame Couch, copper wire top, extends into a full size bed. Very special price at **$14.95**
—Furniture, 2nd Floor